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MALCOMSON—In proud and loving memory of Llewellyn Malcomson, Corporal, R.E., killed in action, near Loos, night of October 5th/6th, 1916; also of Hubert Malcomson, Captain, 6th R.I. Regiment, died of wounds received at Ginchy, September 15th, 1916.

BIRTHS.

CARROLL—September 25, 1927, at Sunnybank Nursing Home, Botanic road, to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Carroll, a daughter.

HADDEN—September 26, 1927, at 77 Abbeyfield, Kilkister, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hadden, a son.

LEECH—September 30, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Leech, Tullyho Lodge, Ballymoe, County Roscommon, a son.

McDONOGH—September 26, 1927, at St. Mary's, Dunmore, County Galway, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDonogh, a daughter.

NAYLOR—September 30, 1927, at "Edenvale," Belmont, Church road, Belfast, to Mr. and Mrs. Naylor, gift of a son.

O'GRADY—October 2, 1927, at 49 Lower Leeson street, Dublin, to Dr. and Mrs. O'Grady, of Lautabourg, a daughter.

PACKHAM—October 4, 1927, at Miss Webb's Nursing Home, Claremont street, Belfast, to Phyllis (nee Reeves), wife of Rev. W. A. Packham, a son.

SLEAP—October 3, 1927, at Groombridge, Epping, Essex, Violet, wife of J. Weldon Sleap, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BULL and LYSAGHT—September 20, 1927, at Drumcondra Parish Church, by the Rev. J. T. Cummins, M.A., Rector, Walter Thomas, youngest son of the late William Bull, Bascote Lodge, Southam, Warwickshire, and Ballymahon, County Longford, and of Mrs. Bull, 3 Shamrock Villas, Upper Drumcondra, Dublin, to Edith Emily, second daughter of Frederick E. J. and Bessie Lysaght, 1 Millmount place, Drumcondra, and granddaughter of the late Hon. Frederick Lysaght, Mount North, County Cork.

CARROLL and MORAN—September 14, 1927, at St. Joseph's Church, Limerick, by the Venerable Archdeacon Sheehy, D.D., John, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll, Ballygibbs, Kilmallock, to Linda, only daughter of Dr. M. J. Moran and Mrs. Moran, Carrick-on-Suir.

FISHER and CUSSEN—September 6, 1927, at Holy Trinity Church, Braamfontein, Johannesburg, by the Rev. Patrick Ryan, Joseph Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fisher, of Weymouth, to Annie Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cussen, Richmond, Templemore.

HUDSON and KIRKWOOD—September 28, 1927, at St. Mary's Church, Harrow-on-the-Hill, by the Rev. R. Shoedon, Captain Thompson Hudson, 33th Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers, eldest son of the late Thompson Hudson, of the Manor House, Pakefield, Lowestoft, and Violet (Babbie), only daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Kirkwood, O.B.E., Indian Army, and Mrs. Kirkwood, Meerut, India.

HUNTLEY and BROWNE—September 29, 1927, at Princes Row, London, S.W., Anthony H., eldest son of the late G. R. Huntley, of London, to Anne Constance Alma, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Browne, Meadowside, Armagh.

SMITH and ADAMS—September 28, 1927, at St. Augustine's Church, Londonderry, by the Rev. James Kelly, M.A., and the Rev. J. K. Beattie, M.A., William Smith, B.A., B.A.I., younger son of the late Mr. Blair Smith, J.P., and Mrs. Smith, Errigal House, Londonderry, to Margaret Gilchrist, eldest daughter of Mr. J. B. Adams, Secretary, County Council, County Londonderry, and Mrs. Adams, Lawrence Hill, Londonderry.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BOLAND—October 5, 1927, at Dublin, of pneumonia, Michael, dearly-beloved and youngest son of Margaret and Michael Boland, Tubrusk, Ballisloe. Funeral from St. Michael's Church at 3.30 p.m. to-morrow (Friday) to Geagh.

COLLINS—October 6, 1927, at 14 Brighton road, Rathgar, Elizabeth Anne Collins, beloved wife of the late John Collins, Mountrath. Funeral leaves 14 Brighton road at 2 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) for Friends' Burial Ground, Temple Hill, arriving at 3 o'clock p.m.

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee."

CONSIDINE—August 29, 1927, at Waterval, Hanglip, Potgietersrust, S. Africa, Lorano, beloved wife of Percy Considine. R.I.P.

DOYLE—At his residence, Ballinacor, Tinahely, John Doyle. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing sister, brothers, nieces, and nephews. R.I.P. Office and High Mass at Killiarney this (Thursday) morning, 6th inst. Funeral immediately afterwards.

GUY—October 2, 1927, at a Private Nursing Home, Clifton, Bristol, after an operation, following a motor accident, Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Francis Guy, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commanding Depot Wiltshire Regiment, Devizes.

HALL—At Los Angeles, Thomas Craythorne (Tommy), darling youngest son of the late Thomas Hall and Margaret Hall, 29 Herbert avenue, Merrion. Dearly loved. "Where there shall be no more tears."

MacDONALD—October 4, 1927, at Sea View, Balbriggan, Elizabeth, beloved wife of D. MacDonald, late Stationmaster, Laytown, aged 73 years. Deeply regretted. Funeral Julianstown Church 4 p.m. to-morrow (Friday).

MANWEILER—October 5, 1927, Christina Mary (Tiny), youngest daughter of Thomas and Mary Manweiler, 60 Reuben avenue, South Circular road. R.I.P. Funeral (private) from Church of Our Lady of Dolours, Dolphin's Barn, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Friday) morning, 7th inst.

O'MEARA—October 5, 1927, at Main street, Roscrea, Mary Josephine, dearly-loved wife of Daniel O'Meara. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Cronan's at 6 o'clock this (Thursday) evening. High Mass at 10.30 to-morrow (Friday) morning. Interment immediately after at New Cemetery.

SHORTT—September 30, 1927, at Mandalay Hospital, Burma, of enteric fever, John Sanford Shortt, only son of the late Jonathan Shortt, Dublin, aged 27.

SIM—October 5, 1927, at her residence, Campbell House, Collooney, County Sligo, Alexandrina, widow of the late Alexander Sim, J.P. Funeral at 12 noon to-morrow (Friday).

TYACKE—October 4, 1927, at Ballyglass, Mullingar, suddenly, Anne Tyacke, wife of H. B. Tyacke, late Assistant Inspector-General R.I. Constabulary. Funeral strictly private.

IN MEMORIAM.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 25, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate of the deceased, who died on the 6th day of August, 1927, are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of November, 1927, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for Miss Mary Kiely, of Quay street, New Ross, aforesaid, acting Executrix of said deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 19th day of September, 1927, forth of the Waterford District Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate), Saorstat Eireann. And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 1st day of November, 1927, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as required above.
Dated this 29th day of September, 1927.
THOMAS J. KELLY, LL.B., Solicitor for said Executrix, New Ross.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ALAN STEWART PATTEN, late of Clone, Aughrim, in the County of Wicklow, Gentleman Farmer, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors, or in anywise to have any claims or demands against the assets of the Deceased, who died on the 13th day of August, 1927, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims to the undermentioned Solicitors for the Executor, to whom Probate of the Deceased's Will was granted on the 12th day of September, 1927, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on or before the 18th day of November, 1927, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he has had notice.
Dated this 5th day of October, 1927.
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JOHN C. MARLOWE, Clerk in Bankruptcy.
ALFRED G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin.
HAYES and SONS, Solicitors for the Assignee, 41 and 42 Nassau street, Dublin.

RE DOCTOR HENRY F. POWELL, late of Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the estate of the above will please forthwith furnish (in writing) particulars to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor.
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CHINA and Japan.—The "Irish Times" Map of Colonies now on Sale, price 6d., post free 8d., from Head Office, 31 Westmoreland street, Dublin, and Branch Offices, 55 Marlborough street, Cork, and 139 Royal Avenue, Belfast.

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EXPERIENCED Lady Shorthand Typist, under 26, required for city office. Reply, with copies of testimonials, M 847, this office. 4 D

ESTATE Carpenter Wanted for job; handy man; steady, skilled; ages sons with cap references, "Z 1977, Carpenter," this office. 5 A

HARDWARE—Junior Assistant, Protestant, Co. Cavan, timber, meal, etc., Address, stating age, experience and salary expected, Indoor, "Z 1870, Assistant," this office. 4 F

HAWKERS, Drapers, wanting good Selling Lines, should write, Dalby, Harrington Mills, Long Eaton, Notts. 4 D

HIGHLY paid Employment is waiting for qualified Male Employees, either Technical, Commercial, Civil Service or Police; we have Postal Courses for all the Examinations; study in your spare time; full particulars and advice free.—The Regents' College, Ltd., Dept. 117, Sheffield. T

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OPTICIAN will take as Articled Apprentice well educated Youth; premium required.—M 590, this office.

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QUANTITY Surveyor wants intelligent Youth, good arithmetician, must write; some knowledge of building construction an advantage. Apply M 917, this office. 5 E

REQUIRED, well educated Youth, age 16-20, good knowledge shorthand, typewriting and geography essential. Apply M 540, this office.

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VACANCY in City House for young man, to take charge of Furniture Department; state experience and salary required.—M 725, this office. 5 E

WANTED, Junior Lady for Linen Department, good knowledge General Drapery; Protestant; state salary, indoor; enclose references. Address "Z 1846, Lady," this office. 5 D

WANTED for country town, respectable Woman, R.C., to act as Housekeeper and take charge of children; good wages to suitable person. Address, stating wages and send copies of discharges, "Z 1911, Housekeeper," this office. 5 E

WANTED, a Lady Companion, willing to give slight help in service in factory for comfortable home in convenient suburb of Dublin; Protestant preferred; middle aged. Address "Z 1908, Companion," this office. 3 E

WANTED, Nurse Housemaid, Sewing Maid, Parlourmaid, Waitress, Wire Mattress and Bedding; thorough training; fee £10.—M 719, this office.

WANTED, after Christmas, a Protestant Secondary School (50 boys) in country, Lady to act as Matron and take charge of all entries; experience essential. Address "Z 1971, Matron," this office. 4 F

WANTED, young, respectable Girl, Apprentice go to Milliners; small fee required. Reply M 956, this office. 5 E

WANTED, experienced Saleswoman for Blouses, Sports Coats and Glove Departments; must be accustomed to good class trade.—M 980, this office. 5 E

WANTED for Christ Church, Gorey, Man, preferably trained, to Service, as Sexton and Caretaker of Church and Grounds; salary £50 to £55; good references. Apply The Rural Dean's Office, The Rectory, Gorey.

WANTED, Good Dressmaker to give Lessons Cutting, Making, at lady's home; state terms.—Murphy, Westport, Glenageary.

WANTED, Companion Help, strong and amiable; offered good home; experience unnecessary; must be lady's mum; £25 to £30.—M 645, this office. 3 X

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WANTED, Two Seater Motor; must be good make, almost new and excellent condition.—M 988, this office. 5 E

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ADVANCES on Motor Bikes, Cars, Jewels—Gorman, Pawnbroker, Winetavern street (opposite Fowns Court), new garage. T

NORTON 8—A few 1927 4.90 O.H.V. Models at clearance prices.—J. J. Kelly, 27 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

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DRIVER Mechanic—Respectable young Man, strict T.T., garage experience and cycle repairs, wishes situation. Address "Z 2004, Driver," this office. 5 A

YOUNG Ford Motor Driver, strict T.T., seeks situation; generally useful in farm or dairy. Highly recommended. Address "Z 1917, Driver," this office. 5 A

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WANTED, Manager for Omnibus Company in Irish Free State; early interview essential; replies considered; state fully experience, qualifications, age, and salary expected; copies of documents.—Box 577, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin. X

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LOANS granted to respectable applicants; terms moderate.—F. Toohey, 5a Vernon's street, Clontarf. 16 F

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A "Irish Times" Registry—Hotel Cooks, Cook Generals, Housemaid Waitresses and General Helps Wanted. 5 E

EXPERIENCED Hotel Housemaid required immediately. Apply, with references, Proprietress, Prince of Wales Hotel, Athlone.

HEAD Waiter Wanted. Apply, with references, Railway Hotel, Westport. 4 F

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

BOOKKEEPER, first class hotel, desires change; large country town preferred; good recommendations from present employer. Reply, stating salary, M 1000, this office. 5 A

COOK, R.C., good plain, settled person, private hotel, Dublin; good home; wages £26 to £30. Apply between 11 and 1.—F 84, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.

EXPERIENCED Waitress seeks re-engagement.—M 957, this office. 5 A

EXPERIENCED Kitchen Porter seeks position, hotel or Club; first class references.—Marion, Irish Times Registry.

FIRST Class Hotel, Club or Restaurant Cook; Dublin or near; excellent references.—M 902, this office.

HOTEL Housemaid; good references; city preferred.—M 900, this office.

HOUSEMAID or Cook General, private hotel or otherwise; recommended.—M 899, this office.

HOTEL, Club, and Restaurant Proprietors are invited to phone 50356, or write Matron, Irish Times Servants' Registry, Dublin, when requiring Officials or Staff. X

RESPECTABLE educated girl wishes situation as Assistant Cook in first-class hotel; good references. Address "Z 1892, Girl," this office. 5 E

SMART Youth, Presbyterian, 18, well recommended, wants situation, hotel, gentleman's house, etc.; indoor. Address "Z 843, Youth," this office. 3 E

TWO Friends, Waitress and Housemaid, Waitress, city or suburbs, hotel or restaurant; highly recommended and can be highly recommended; disengaged now.—M 695, this office. 5 A

THOROUGHLY experienced Hotel Bookkeeper (single), for system, city or provincial hotel; excellent references. M 891, this office.

WIDOW, 45, disengaged; small wage. Housekeeper, hotel or institution; recommended.—M 782, this office. 4 D

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENT—Wanted, travelling Free State, on commission; must be well known on ground and able to furnish satisfactory references. Address stating lines carried to "Z 970, Agent," this office.

WANTED, Driving Salesman for Confectionery House; must have connection with small shops and be well recommended.—M 937, this office. 5 E

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AGENCY—Retired Railway Clerical Official anxious to take up business (all kinds) or other Agencies, Limerick City and district. Would take up Secretary or other confidential position.—C/o Guinane, Stringer, William street, Limerick. 3 D

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

MANAGING Assistant, four experience, highest references, open to engagement.—M 976, this office. 5 E

SHORTHAND Typist (L.C.) required for Solicitor's Office in the city. Reply, age and experience, M 749, this office. 5 E

YOUNG Lady [illegible] for conveying Shorthand Typist, considerable experience, at present employed, wishes [illegible]. 5 E

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

APPRENTICE Wanted for Midland Pharmacy; well educated Youth; substantial fee; indoor. Address "Z 1955, Apprentice," this office. 4 F

CHEMIST'S Assistant, N.I. Protestant, wishes situation in Free State; good references. Address Box No. 899, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 5 E

EXPERIENCED Nurse Attendant, or Useful Help; 2 grown children; good references; city, suburbs.—M 835, this office. 5 E

INVALID or Bonded and Patients received in well appointed private house, standing in own grounds and adjacent to Phoenix Park. Address "Z 1887, Patients," this office. 3 D

MATERNITY Patients received, Nurse's Private House; 25/- weekly while waiting. Address "Z 1906, Patients," this office. 4 F

MAID Attendant, Protestant (settled), for elderly or invalid Lady, disengaged; references.—M 928, this office. 5 E

NURSE gives Massage, Violet Ray, high frequency; specialty, Head and Face; moderate.—M 551, this office.

QUALIFIED Chemist, experienced, disengaged; city or suburbs; interview if required.—M 680, this office. 5 E

SECRETARY and Attendant—Young Lady seeks engagement; experience and highest references.—M 781, this office.

WANTED, Branch Practice Chair and Spittoon; Dr. McDermott, Dublin, 76 Baggot street.

YOUNG man, 24 years' experience, go as Improver to Ph. Chemist, city or suburbs.—M 745, this office. 5 E

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EXPERIENCED Gardener, understands planting, rearing, pergola erection; very moderate terms.—M 985, this office. 5 E

GARDENER, single, seeks situation; make himself generally useful; good cowkeeper.—F. Lynch, Newtown, Celbridge, Co. Kildare. 1 D

GARDENER, good all round, general handy man; good milker.—M 552, this office. 1 D

GENTLEMAN, experienced in all branches of Farming, desires post as Farm Manager or Steward; excellent references.—M 921, this office. 5 A

GARDENER, Head Working, seeks situation; married; good discharges. Address "Z 1965, Gardener," this office. 5 E

GARDENER, single, good all round man; highest references. Apply Thomas Sullivan, Castleview, Fermoy. 5 E

GARDENER Head Working, thoroughly understands all duties, Protestant, married, seeks situation.—Corbett, Clongower, Thurles, Tipperary. 5 A

LADY Gardener requires work, in or near Dublin.—M 580, this office. 5 E

WORKING Steward or Caretaker, single; understands farm in all branches, sheep, cattle, machinery; has first class discharges. Address "Z 1900, Steward," this office. 5 E

DOMESTICS WANTED.

A BIG number well recommended Domestics, all placed immediately.—Matron, Irish Times Registry. 1 F

ALL seeking employment, domestic, otherwise, invited to apply Matron, Registry, Irish Times. T

WORKING Housekeeper, Protestant, for two-roomed; good plain cook; two in family.—M 825, this office. 5 E

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COOK General Wanted; must be well recommended; small washing; Rathgar.—M 709, this office. 5 E

CAN Lady recommend experienced Cook General, aged about number? wages £35-£40.—Blackrock—M 207, this office. 5 E

COOK, General or experienced General Wanted, good plain cook; some washing; strong, active country girl; daily housemaid kept. Good copies, state wages expected, age, etc.—Hamilton, Highfield, Upper Glenageary road, Kingstown. 5 E

COOK General, also Housewaiting Maid Wanted from the interval or Wexford districts for lady and gentleman, with three children, nurse employed; residing Newcastle-on-Dunsink; must have the best first class references, and when applying must state wages, last employer's name, name address of priest, and send photograph.—Box G 70, Irish Times Branch Office, 59 Fleet street, London. 4 F

COOK General, spotless Parlourmaid Wanted immediately, Protestants, country, near Dublin; £50, £25; lady's recommendations essential; send copies.—Address "Z 1963, Cook," this office. 4 D

GOOD Cook required, capable of taking charge in owner's absence; must be highly recommended. Reply, stating age, wages, and with reference, "z 1845, Cook," this office. 1 D

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SINGLE (MAID) Cook Wanted for comfortable affair tion, near Dublin Apply, stating age, salary, references, Mrs. McVeitie, Castleknock. 4 D

WANTED, good plain Dinner-hand Cook—Mrs. Gilbert, Dysertmore, New Ross 1 D

WANTED immediately for country, Cook Housekeeper; good wages offered; none but good cook need apply.—Mrs. de Courcy-Parry, Horetown, Foulksmills, Co. Wexford. 4 F

WANTED, good Cook; two in family, three maids kept; for North Wales.—Mrs. Marshall, Bryn-y-Cod, Rossett, Wrexham. 4 F

WANTED, young Cook General; good cook; two in family; send copies.—1289, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagot street, Dublin. 4 D

WANTED, young Cook General; must have good character; apply Secretary, Fitzwilliam Park Golf Club, Merrion road, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

WANTED, young Cook General, family two; house parlourmaid kept; write or call between 6 and 7 p.m. to-day (Thursday), Burlington House Burlington road. 5 E

WANTED, settled Woman, good Cook General; other maid kept; wages £20; well recommended. Address "Z 2002, Woman," this office. 5 E

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A BIG number good Generals Wanted, £24-£26; placed immediately.—Irish Times Registry, Dublin. 4 D

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EXPERIENCED General wanted, small family; daily maid assists. Apply 53 Mountainview road, Rosebush, before 2 or after 10. 5 E

EXPERIENCED General required, commencing £26, for Kingstown.—J 50, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

FOR Sutton—Young, experienced General, light duties; good home.—M 682, this office. 5 E

GENERAL, Servant Wanted, two family 3; help given; city.—1261, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagot street, Dublin. 4 D

GENERAL Wanted; plain cooking; R.C.; indoor; bring references.—59 Wellington road. 4 D

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WANTED General and Housemaid, middle October, small family; send copies discharges, state wages; Rathfarnham district.—M 742, this office. 5 E

WANTED, experienced General; nurse kept. Call after 6 o'clock 54 Merrion road. 4 F

WANTED, respectable, middle aged General or Working Housekeeper for private house; three children; small washing; must be highly recommended. P.P., this office. 4 F

WANTED, experienced young General, 21st October; good cooking essential; family three, non basement house, modern conveniences. Address "Z 1869, General," this office. 1 X

WANTED, Trained General, light washing; good wages. Apply 8 Moyne road, Rathmines. 5 E

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FIRE INSURANCE RULES FOR BUILDINGS.

A NEW REGULATION.

For many years past the principal fire offices have allowed discounts off the premiums for the insurance of the buildings and contents of premises which have been erected in accordance with their rules for "Fire-resisting Construction." These rules recognise four "standards" of construction.

Number 1a, applying to cotton and woollen mills and the like, and 1b, applying to other buildings, represent the ideal, and call for such strength and elaboration of precaution that few buildings conform to them. Standard 2 gives rules for a building of high class, with fireproof floors and staircases and incombustible partitions, and having all structional metal work enclosed in brickwork, cement, or other heat-resisting substance. Standard 3 is frequently adopted for large modern shops, warehouses and factories, and it gives a building which, while less secure than one of Standard 2, yet possesses considerable resistant powers, and should enable a fire brigade to confine an outbreak to one section of it. The rules for Standard 4 are even less severe, and allow floors of non-fireproof material so long as they are incombustible. (Under each standard wooden flooring is allowed to be laid on the floors.) The buildings are better, from a fire underwriter's point of view, than those of ordinary construction, and in most classes of risk small discounts are obtainable for Standard 4 buildings.

A fifth standard has now been adopted by the insurance companies, who have issued rules for buildings "of standard construction"; that is to say, buildings for which no discount is allowed for superior construction, and no extra charge is made for inferior, or what has hitherto been known as "defective," construction. The word defective has been abandoned by the companies on the protest of builders, who not unnaturally, have objected to buildings being called defective which have been put up by them in proper workmanlike fashion, though they may have been of timber or corrugated iron. The rules for a Standard 5 building are as follows:—

DEFINITIONS.

Brickwork:—Solid bricks laid in mortar and/or cement.

Masonry:—Stone laid in mortar and/or cement.

Hollow blocks, solid blocks, and slabs:—Hard blocks of well-burned clay or brick-earth or of cement concrete as defined below.

Concrete:—A mixture composed of lime or cement and sand, with broken brick, burnt ballast, furnace slag, clinker, other similar hard and burnt material (not including coke breeze), or gravel.

Cement Concrete:—A mixture composed of Portland cement and sand, with broken brick, burnt ballast, furnace slag, clinker, other similar hard and burnt material (not including coke breeze), or gravel.

WALLS.

1. External walls and area walls to be of brickwork, masonry, terra-cotta, cement concrete, hollow blocks, solid blocks and/or slabs.

N.B.—Structural iron or steel framework, but not timber framing, is allowed in conjunction with the foregoing materials.

2. Party walls to be of brickwork, masonry, terra-cotta, and/or cement concrete, and to be not less than 9in. thick of solid material, devoid of cavity, going up to or through the roof.

N.B.—Structural iron or steel framework, but not timber framing, is allowed in conjunction with the foregoing materials, provided it be covered with not less than 2in. of brickwork, masonry, terra-cotta, cement, and/or cement concrete.

ROOFS.

3. The external surface of the roof to consist of slates, tiles, metal, concrete, asphalt, and/or sheets or slabs composed entirely of incombustile mineral ingredients.

N.B.—Slates or tiles containing any combustible ingredients, a roof entirely of ordinary glass, whether in metal framework or not, and a lantern attic or lantern light of glass in timber framework raised above the surrounding roof are not allowed. Flat roofs covered with layers of paper or felt treated with asphalt cemented together, and coated with at least 2in. of sand, earth, and/or gravel, and ordinary glass in a roof otherwise conforming to Rule 3 are allowed.

These rules have been adopted by all the "Tariff" offices, and copies may be obtained by readers from their own insurance companies, as also may copies of the rules for Standards 1, 2, 3, and 4.

BUILDING & RECONSTRUCTION

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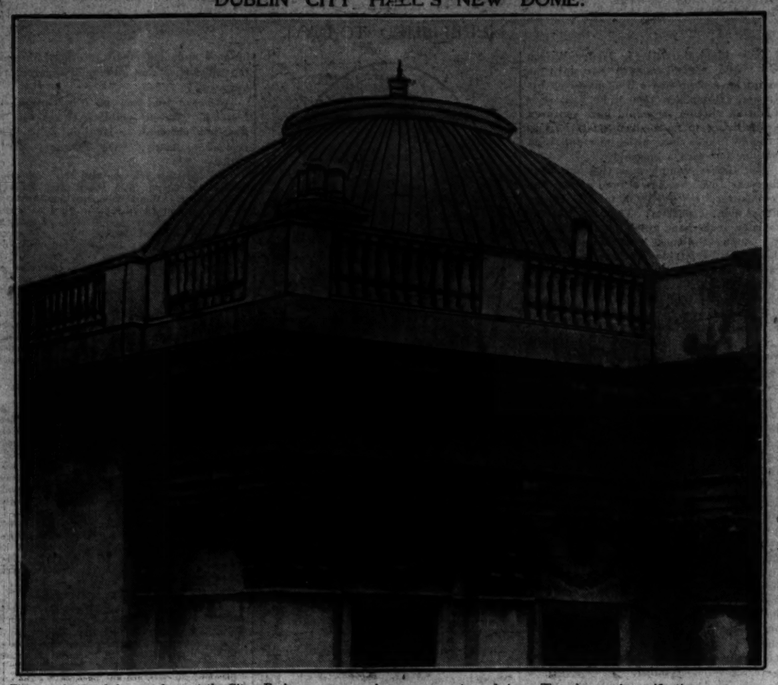
DUBLIN CITY HALL'S NEW DOME.



The completion of the new dome at the City Hall, Dublin, by the well-known firm, Messrs. Samuel H. Bolton and Sons, Bathmines road, Dublin, recalls the past history of one of Dublin's historical buildings. The site was originally the property of the Wide Streets Commissioners, acquired by them at a cost of £20,000, for the purpose of widening the south side of Dame street and providing an open space. Subsequently they handed it to the Guild of Merchants at the nominal rent of 5s., for the purpose of the erection of an Exchange for English and Foreign Bills. The shell building, as it now exists, was erected in 1779 by Thomas Cooley, architect, for this purpose. After 1826, when English and Irish currency were equalised, and foreign trade had dwindled down to a cross-Channel trade, the necessity for this Exchange was no longer apparent, and in 1852 the trustees of the Guild presented the site and the building to the Corporation of Dublin, free of rent, when the original purpose of the building as an Exchange had entirely ceased to exist.

During the last few decades it was becoming more and more evident that the lack of adequate ventilation in the original dome was seriously affecting the timbers, and ultimately it became necessary to remove the dome. It was found on examination that all the main constructional timbers were in the last stages of decay through "dry-rot."

The new dome, recently completed, has a diameter of 50 feet, and is constructed of steel framing, covered externally in copper, and internally treated with ornamental fibrous plaster.

The plans and specification were prepared by the Assistant City Architect, Mr. Conor McGinley, B.Arch., and executed under his supervision, and it is worthy of note that the original design and detail were followed as closely as possible.

Announcements by the under-noted firms who were engaged on the work appear on this page.

The contract was carried out by Messrs. Samuel H. Bolton and Sons, Rathmines road, Dublin.

Messrs. John Ryan and Co., Orion Works, Dublin, were responsible for the decorative plastering.

Messrs. Held and Co., Kevin street, Dublin, supplied the copper covering to the dome.

Messrs. J. and C. McGloughlin, Ltd., Pearse street, Dublin, supplied the lay-light to the dome.

TENDERS WANTED

NEW BUILDINGS AND RECONSTRUCTION

By the Lucan Dairy Co., by 20th October, for new buildings at Parkgate street, Dublin.

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By Rev. J. Henry, C.C., by 16th October, for repairs to St. Joseph's Church, Cong, Co. Mayo.

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By the Committee of First Bangor Presbyterian Church, by 10th October, for additions to church.

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By Limerick County Board of Health, by 12th October, for putting down a new sewer at Rathkeale.

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By Commissioners of Public Works, to-day, for additional reconstruction work at the Land Registry, Dublin.

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By Commissioners of Public Works, to-day, for the erection of a lodge for resident pupils at Botanic Gardens.

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By Monaghan Board of Health, by 11th October, for repairs and painting at Scotstown Dispensary and residence.

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By Messrs. Petticrew Bros., by 11th October, for the erection and completion of premises, Bow street, Lisburn, Co. Antrim.

***

By Commissioners of National Education, by 17th October, for repairs to the National School at Kilbaha, Carrigaholt, Co. Clare.

***

By the Very Rev. M. Quinlan, S.J., by 17th October, for the erection of a new chapel and classrooms at Belvedere College, Dublin.

***

By Commissioners of Public Works, by 18th October, for roofing, flooring and joinery work at the Custom House, Dublin.

***

By Dromtariffe Co-operative Creamery, Ltd., Banteer, Co. Cork, by 15th October, for the erection of a building, 40ft. x 26ft. x 16ft.

***

By the Irish Land Commission, by 10th October, for the erection of a dwelling-house at Castletown, near Kinnitty, County of Offaly.

***

By Cavan County Council, by 10th October, for electric wiring, supply and erection of fittings and lamps, in the County Courthouse, Cavan.

***

By the Committee of New Row Presbyterian Church, Coleraine, for alterations, renovations, and additions to the church and the buildings connected therewith.

***

By the Commissioners of Public Works, by 27th October, for the erection of Civic Guard stations at Causeway, Co. Kerry, and at Dunmore, Co. Galway; and for the reconstruction of a building for the Civic Guard at Castlelowngeoghan, Co. Westmeath.

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By Tipperary (North Riding) County Board of Health, to-day, for the erection of lofts and general repairs to cottages; for repair to main sewer at East side of Tower Hill, Borrisokane; for covering timbers for Newchapel pump, Borrisokane; and for the repair of the boundary wall round Loughmore burial ground.

ITEMS.

A new Masonic Hall is being erected at Newbliss, Co. Monaghan.

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The Derry Opera House, which has been sold, is to be reconstructed, redecorated, and refurnished.

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The new parish church which is being erected at Westport will be one of the most commodious in the Archdiocese.

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Bray Urban Council accepted the tender of Messrs. McNally and Co., Dublin, at £791 for the laying of a water main.

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The Local Government Department has approved of the Meath Board of Health's proposal to erect forty-two labourers' cottages.

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The Local Government Department sanctioned £2,400 for the repairs of the courthouses in Castlebar, Ballinrobe, and Ballina.

***

The Bank of Ireland have acquired premises at Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan, and it is stated that these will be used as a branch office.

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The work of rebuilding the burned police barrack at Carrick-on-Suir has been taken in hands by Messrs. Connolly and Walsh, Kilkenny.

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The new graving dock extension at Derry quay is progressing towards completion, and should be ready for business early in the new year.

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Limerick Board of Health accepted the tender of Mr. J. J. Ryan at £160 for laying down a line of pipes in connection with the Kilfinane water supply.

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Enniskillen Board of Guardians accepted the tender of Messrs. Hurst Bros., Omagh, at £90, for painting and repairs to the fever hospital at the workhouse.

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At a meeting of the Council of the Royal Institute of the Architects of Ireland, held at 8 Merrion square, Dublin, Mr. W. Sedgwick Keatinge was elected to the Fellowship.

***

A cement jetty is being erected at the Canal Bridge, Vicarstown, Leix, for the accommodation of the farmers of the district who have arranged to deliver their beet at this loading station.

***

Cookstown Rural District Council has appointed Mr. R. A. Brown, Cookstown, as clerk of works in connection with the Council's labourers' cottage scheme, under which 74 cottages are to be built.

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Antrim County Council have applied to the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland for their consent to the borrowing of £2,500 for the purpose of carrying out a hot water supply installation at the County Asylum, Antrim.

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Limavady (Co. Londonderry) Rural District have approved of the details of an application for sanction from the Ministry of a loan for the erection of 73 labourers' cottages in the district. The loan was for £25,550, less £1,000 advanced under a former scheme, which was abandoned.

PLANS FOR BUILDING WORKS IN DUBLIN.

The following plans for new buildings and works of reconstruction have been approved by Mr. Horace T. O'Rourke, City Architect:

St. Vincent's Hospital (lift).

6 Mannix road (garage and store)—Mr. Griffin.

Camden street (additions and alterations)—Hibernian Bank.

Inchicore (additions)—Oblates' Church.

2 Suffolk street (alterations)—M. W. O'Neill.

50 Thomas street (rebuilding)—John Shields.

Marlborough street (extension of south transept)—Pro-Cathedral.

1 St. Columba's road, Glasnevin (garage and coal store)—Mrs. K. McAleese.

18 St. Stephen's Green (alterations)—Munster and Leinster Bank.

26 D'Olier street (alterations)—Messrs. Dunn.

10 Cliftonville road (garage)—James P. Nowlan.

Finglas road (house)—R. Ruth.

6 Glenarm avenue, Drumcondra (garage)—L. Matthews.

Clontarf (off Castle avenue) (house)—Dublin and Rural Public Utility Society, Ltd.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS PLACED.

The following contracts have been placed by the Commissioners of Public Works:—

Boher National School, Offaly (erection of school)—J. Concannon and Son, Athlone.

Carrick-on-Suir Garda Siochana Station (reconstruction)—Connolly and Culleg, Kilkenny.

Central Model School, Dublin (re-surfacing of play-ground)—A. P. Watkinson, Dublin.

Garda Siochana Depot (supply of 400 bedsteads and mattresses)—A. Phillips (Ltd.), Dublin.

Glassan National School (erection of school)—James Cunningham, Carrick, Tirconaill.

Killeenagh National School, Co. Kerry (erection of School)—R. Boyle, Castlemaine, Co. Kerry.

National Schools, Rural Science Equipment (supply of 500 sets of agricultural tools)—William Hunt and Sons, The Brades, Ltd., Birmingham.

St. Mary's National School, Bridge End, Tirconaill (erection of School)—G. Lindsay, Drumbane, Tirconaill.

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Plans have been prepared for the construction of a new central railway station in Johannesburg. The structure, which is to cost £350,000, will consist of a large central hall built in concrete after the Roman style, 200ft. by 100ft., with a dome-shaped waiting-room on the lower floor level. There will be space for parking motor vehicles.

***

The Ministry of Local Government has sanctioned the acceptance of Mr. P. Nally's tender for concreting streets, pointing out, however, that the limit of expenditure was £11,700, the amount available from the Road Fund grant. If the Corporation are not prepared to meet the difference in the contract figure of £16,310 they should submit a new scheme to the Ministry.

BOHEMIANS FOOTBALL CLUB NEW STANDS AT DALYMOUNT PARK.

New stands, together with boundary walls, turnstile gates and exits have been completed for Bohemians' Football Club, Dublin.

The existing stands on the Cabra road side of the ground have been removed, and a new stand in steel and wood, with asbestos-sheeted sides and roof, has been constructed, accommodating about 1,600 people.

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WANTED, two Mustangs, carry lady 9 stone, good 13 hands; character essential; slight blemish not objected, but wind. Address "Z 2008, Hunter," this office. 5 A

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A SMALL well appointed House Wanted, Drumcondra, Phibsboro, Clontarf vicinity; give price (moderate) and particulars; information, and when available. M 854, this office. 1 D

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NON Basement House Wanted, about £650; city or suburbs.—1292, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

RATHMINES, Ratheor, or adjoining—Modern semi House Wanted immediately, with possession.—M 979, this office.

SMALL House Wanted, with accommodation cash purchase. Particulars to M 977, this office. 3 F

TWO Ladies require small House or Flat, in suitable locality, Unfurnished; to £65, this office. 4 F

WANTED, Dwelling House, low valuation and ground rent; good repair not necessary; possession £300.—M 634, this office. 3 F

WANTED, Furnished House, with three bedrooms at least, in or near city; house with garden attached preferred.—M 626, this office. 4 F

WANTED to Rent, small House or Flat, moderate; preferably North city; refined married couple (one child); references given.—M 675, this office. 3 F

WANTED, Furnished House, for October and November, or longer; Ballsbridge district.—M 668, this office. 3 F

WANTED, Furnished House, 4 bedrooms and garage if possible, in Ballsbridge, Sandymount, or Donnybrook districts; will pay from 2½ to 3½ pounds monthly for long let; first class tenant. Write M 674, this office. 3 E

WANTED to rent, detached semi-basement House, facing south, South side; modern conveniences; reasonable rent; select tenants.—M O 539, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, Unfurnished House to Rent, South side; careful and solvent tenant.—M 961, this office. 5 A

WANTED, small House, with garage, Furnished or Unfurnished; or self contained Flat, with garage; South side; moderate rent.—M 943, this office. 5 A

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WANTED, modern House, Rathgar, Terenure, Rathmines.—M 935, this office. 5 A

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LADY wishes Set nice Bedroom, use Sittingroom, etc.; 2d. tram, South; 12/6.—M 950, this office. 4 F

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NICELY Furnished Flat to Let, select, detached house, nurse, electric light; tram line, S.C. road. M 950, this office. 5 A

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BED Sittingroom required by young man, comfortable, quiet home; full or partial Board; South side preferred; terms, etc., first letter.—M 993, this office.

BUSINESS Ladies require Double Bedded Room, use of sitting, Ballsbridge.—M 979, this office. 3 E

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THE DIARIES OF SIR HENRY WILSON.

INNER HISTORY OF THE WAR AND IRISH AFFAIRS BY A BRILLIANT IRISH GENERAL.

[PUBLISHED TO-DAY].

HAD Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson lived longer, almost certainly he would have published a book based on his diaries. Outspoken though he was, it is doubtful whether he would have ventured while living to have given quotations so full and free as these which now appear in conjunction with a biography.

The diaries, complete as they are from the year 1893, provide shrewd record and commentary written by a man of exceptional mental activity. Those that belong to later years have great importance, and are among the most valuable of private documents available concerning what is called "the inner history of events in the Great War." Naturally, it is this portion of the diaries that occupies most space in the two volumes of Major-General Sir C. E. Callwell's memoir.

It must be confessed that the reading of the greater part of that material has been a most depressing task for a reviewer, who had been occupied immediately before it in reading a small, but enthralling, volume entitled "The Battle Book of Ypres." The "Battle Book" is crowded with records of deeds of heroism and examples of fortitude, typical of thousands more that were unrecorded. It tells of the death of thousands upon thousands of brave British soldiers and the sufferings of many more in the terrible salient during four years of desperate struggle. It reminds men who had experience of the conditions in that hideous battle-ground of what they went through—mud and sleet and filth, weary tasks of endurance, perishing times amid stagnant floods, stiffings in gas-poisoned areas, spectacles of comrades falling around them, falling, often, into vile shell-holes and swirling streams whence no bodies were recovered—conditions amid which the excitement of a bombardment came sometimes as a ghastly relief.

DEFINITE OPINIONS.

From such reading, and the reminiscences that it stirred, one has turned to read with disgust, increasing at every successive page, the diary-extracts given in these volumes, that record the jealousies of high officers, the jostlings for place and promotion, the proofs of incompetence and unpreparedness, the wranglings between different groups, the interferences of politicians, the failures of people all round to appreciate the facts and the issues.

That aspect of affairs is the more marked in this particular record, as compared with others that have been depressing enough in the same way, because of the personality of the diarist, and the fact that they are quoted almost—even now, not entirely—without reserve since their writer can suffer nothing by their publication.

Sir Henry Wilson was a man who formed very definite opinions himself, and was apt to be contemptuous regarding other men when they were not ready to agree with him or to act as he thought they should act. He was more ready than most men to express impatience.

There is another reason also why the comments quoted here are more acid than those, say, of Sir Nevil Macready on the same topics. They are word for word what was written day by day in the midst of events. Sir Nevil Macready's actual diary must have been much more lively than the considered review that he wrote afterwards in the light of further experience, and after consideration of what other people had to say for themselves. Sir Henry Wilson might have given a different touch to some of these passages had he edited them afterwards; but here they are, as he entered them, right in the hurly-burly.

What we have, at all events, is an extraordinarily vivid picture of the progress of events as seen by a man who was busy at the very heart of them.

FRIENDSHIP WITH FOCH.

It is not alone the war years that are brought to our view in this manner. There are important chapters that show how near we were to being far more disastrously unprepared for the shock of war than actually we were. The impression left by these chapters is that to Widson's persistence more than to the quality of any other man was due the completion of the plan for the despatch to France of a British expeditionary force. It is curious to find how sure he was as to how things would happen.

No other military problem seems to have interested him in the least, in the years before the war, in comparison with that which was to be presented by the co-operation of Britain with France in a war with the Central Powers. He never had a doubt that this was the situation to be expected and prepared for.

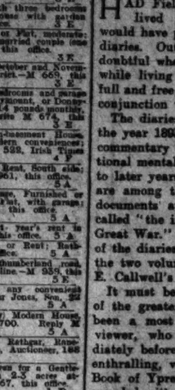
Year after year, long before 1914, he spent that part of his time in which he was free to leave England in cycling and roaming over the very country that was afterwards the scene of operations in the western theatre of war. His seeking and continuance of friendship and close consultation with Foch and other French military chiefs showed a prevision that no other British soldier exhibited in the same degree. We have the story of it all here—told as if what he did was the most natural thing to do in the circumstances; yet he risked censure by doing it.

"CURRAGH REVOLT."

In the middle of all that we have, from his point of view—a strongly personal one, for he was concerned in the matter, perhaps, more deeply than any other soldier—the story of that convulsion in the Army which occurred at a time when he, especially, saw its gravity, the "Curragh revolt."

The actual incident was preceded by much discussion as to what was to happen when the Government of Ireland Bill should be passed, and how that crisis would affect the Army. Wilson was at the head of one of the three principal departments at the War Office, and he and his colleagues all saw that the consequences of the bill had to be faced as a military matter. Who was to handle it? The three chiefs, one by one, declared that it must be someone else's business.

The thing was still not squarely faced when news reached the War Office of the stand taken by Gough and his officers at the Curragh. From that moment, almost hour by hour, the story of the crisis is written in Wilson's diary and reproduced in this memoir. Something, it is true, seems to be missing—some clue as to why Wilson was so plainly a key man in the business. Had he been engaged in secret conversations and correspondence with those who precipitated the crisis? When the crisis occurs, he is the man who conducts one side of the parleys. He it is who sends messages to Gough to "stand



THE LATE SIR HENRY WILSON.

firm," goes in and out and to and fro, always the one who knows what point needs to be clinched with the wavering, bewildered chiefs and politicians.

As one reads in the earlier part of the biography of all that Wilson did to fit himself and the military machine for the parts to be played in the World Crisis, one is apt to be puzzled for a time as to why he did not figure even more notably than he did in the actual conduct of operations at the beginning. Later, of course, he appeared as one of the biggest of our military leaders, though he did not share in the glamour of those who had direct command of the Armies.

FEARED BY COLLEAGUES.

The answer seems to lie in the fact—the record here seems to establish it as fact—that his colleagues always rather feared him—feared him for himself as a man who always knew what he wanted to do when they hesitated; and feared him, further, because they felt he might be playing some game on his own, with secret moves in reserve.

In short, they thought him an intriguer. Early in the century, when in a comparatively minor position in the War Office, he had caused comment by his intimacy with Lord Roberts, after that great soldier had retired and taken up his compulsory service campaign. The Curragh business had shown that he had not left his flanks unprotected for that crisis; he had placed himself in a strong position, so that those who threatened him had to see that they were not dealing merely with an individual officer of minor rank.

When war came, it proved him to have been uncannily wise in his previous contact with the French General Staff. Such a man might seem an uncomfortable colleague. Indeed, as one reads, in the passages referring to the early years of the war, of all the finessing there was with regard to the appointment of a Chief of Staff in succession to General Murray, one is apt to think that there was reason for the discomfort. Wilson was so clever that the men who were not so sure of their own cleverness, or were not prepared to imitate his ways, joined in wishing him out of the way.

Later, his cleverness was needed, and, directed to higher purposes than promotion squabbles, was of immense value to the Allied cause. Watch him handling the War Cabinet, the Dominion Premiers, the French military chiefs, and "Tiger" Clemenceau himself, who would pat him on the shoulders and call him "a good boy." Watch him studying Lloyd-George for chances to lead him in the way he should go, and taking care that that other clever man, Winston Churchill, did not exercise his cleverness in the wrong way at awkward times.

PART IN THE WAR.

The diaries, entered up as they are in the very heat of events, prove beyond question the vital part that Wilson took in critical developments in the later stages of the war. He was not always right, but he was right amazingly often, and he got his way over countless obstacles with extraordinary frequency. The picture of him here shows the man of definite and clear opinion, carrying point after point through a bustle and confusion of bewildered and cross-purposeful statesmen. He went to and fro, pulling Lloyd-George this way and Clemenceau that, silencing this man and pushing that man forward, now stepping out to enforce his view, now standing by till the indeterminate should send for him to make up their minds for him. He himself saw it in that way, and that much of it represents the real situation is recognised as history.

Some of the story is revelation even now, after all the memoirs and apologias we have had since the war; for Wilson at the height of his activity was in many secret councils of the great, and set down in his diaries his own records of those contacts, writing of the people concerned as of so many children. As revelation, we may instance passages in this particular portion of the memoir, which show how doubtful of success were some of the wisest in the land during the dark months of 1918. As late as the 1st August, when the situation was much less critical than it had been a month or two earlier, we have the following note of a meeting of Prime Ministers:—

"Practically all the Prime Ministers—i.e., Lloyd George, Borden, Hughes (but not so much), Smuts, Massey and Milner, are of opinion that we cannot beat the Boches on the Western front, and so they go wandering about looking for laurels. Hughes seen clearer than the others, and sees that we must beat the Boche army if we want a real peace. However, we all ended peacefully. News from France is good, and French are advancing north of Fère-en-Tardenois."

"The views given vent to by these distinguished gentlemen," comments General Callwell, "make strange reading to-day. This consensus of pessimistic civilian opinion was set down in writing by the Chief of the Imperial General Staff just one week before the great allied offensive was set in motion on the Western Front,

MENACE OF THE DRUNKEN MOTORIST.

IMPOSITION OF HEAVIER PENALTIES URGED.

AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION'S PROPOSALS.

Mr. Charles H. Murphy, Irish Secretary of the Automobile Association, who was assisted by Mr. Gibson, representing the Automobile Association, London, gave evidence at yesterday's sitting in Dublin of the Inter-Departmental Committee on the Control of Road Traffic.

Among the points made by Mr. Murphy were :—

The law with regard to dangerous driving needed strengthening; the penalties should be severe, and greater advantage taken of the suspension of driving licences.

The law, as it stood for dealing with the drunken motorist, was inadequate. The Automobile Association urged the imposition of heavier penalties.

He suggested for the first offence a fine not exceeding £50, and for a second and subsequent offence £100, with power to order three months' imprisonment or both.

A discussion took place on the question: When is a man drunk? General O'Duffy stating that a definition of drunkenness from the Association would help them. Mr. Murphy said that he would see if that could be done.

That the cattle trade of Ireland was slightly more important than the motor trade or traffic was the statement made by Mr. L. M. Cuffe, who gave evidence on behalf of the National Executive of the Live Stock Trade, when a series of recommendations were made which set out, *inter alia*, that in the precincts of fairs and markets the live stock on the roads be the first consideration in the regulation of traffic control, being, as they are, the chief industry of the country.

The licensing of casual drovers in the metropolitan area was also advocated.

THE TRAFFIC LAW.

NEED OF CODIFICATION.

Mr. Murphy said that the Association was established in Ireland in 1910, and to-day it had a membership of nearly 10,000. He urged the necessity for the codification of the law regarding road traffic, and its simplification in one general statute for the whole of the Free State. This would be of inestimable benefit to all concerned. So far as motor bicycles and cars were concerned, he was opposed to all rigid speed limits. The speed limit, wherever it had been administered had simply resolved itself into a medium for extracting penalties without the slightest regard to the question of the danger to, or the safety of, the public.

In reply to a question by Mr. Flynn, the witness stated that up to 1905 the general trend had been to give everybody an equal right to the road, but the existing motor law was against the motorist in certain departments.

SPEED TRAPS.

General O'Duffy said that Mr. Murphy was not aware of the instructions that had been issued to the police with regard to the question of "speeding," and which was part of their code. He handed Mr. Murphy, for his perusal, a copy of the code, and called his attention to the instructions given to the Guards on the question.

The code states :—

That common-sense should indicate the localities where speed traps would be placed. These should be located in vicinities in which excessive speed was dangerous, such as busy roads, dangerous curves, road crossings, vicinities of schools, places where previous accidents had occurred, or places concerning which complaints had been received.

In timing motors all the circumstances of the case should be noted on the spot, and if there was evidence of danger, a prosecution should be taken under Section 1 of the Motor Car Act, 1903, rather than under Section 9 of the same Act, for exceeding the speed limit. Summonses under both Sections could also be issued.

Under Section 1 the District Justice could be informed of all the circumstances of the case, including the speed, and one witness would be sufficient. Under Section 9 the Guard must confine himself to speed, and it was desirable to have two witnesses in such cases.

The code proceeds to maintain certain facts which should be carefully noted by the Civic Guards.

THE LAW.

The Chairman remarked that in Mr. Murphy's evidence there was a reflection on the administration of the law. He asked whether his statement referred to the administration of the law in Great Britain as well.

Mr. Murphy stated that his remarks applied generally, and to places in Great Britain in which there was a speed limit.

General O'Duffy said that he would like a concrete case.

Dealing with heavy vehicles, the witness said that from the point of view of the road wear and tear, there was doubtless a better case for the restriction of speed; but the legal speed limit should not be made so onerous as to encourage infringement of the law, or unduly restrict the business of the transportation of goods or passengers.

The law with regard to dangerous driving, he said, needed strengthening, and the penalties should be severe, with greater advantage being taken of the suspension of driving licences. In his view there was only one way to stop the habitually dangerous driver, and that was to deprive him of the right to drive. The fines and endorsements were not sufficient; but discrimination was required between technical offences, such as with careless driving, which would apply to persons guilty of careless driving, as distinguished from dangerous driving, he said that presumably this was intended as a sort of "safety valve" to protect persons from the more serious offence. In principle the idea was good, but a clause of this kind must not be too comprehensive.

THE DRUNKEN MOTORIST.

"Drunk in charge of a motor car," said the witness, was the most serious offence in motoring. The law as it stood to-day was inadequate, and the Automobile Association urged the imposition of heavier penalties. Any new motor legislation should include a distinct clause to cover this offence, and he suggested that for the first offence a fine not exceeding £50, and for a second and subsequent offence a fine not exceeding £100, with power to order three months' imprisonment, or both. The Court should have complete discretion in every case to suspend the driving licence, and, or, disqualify the holder from holding or obtaining a further licence.

General O'Duffy—The only question to decide is when is a man drunk?

Mr. Murphy—A man may take a considerable amount of liquor and not be drunk. I do not think I could give you a definition of drunkenness.

Mr. Flynn—Would you agree that a man showing signs of drink should be regarded as drunk for this purpose?

Mr. Murphy—Oh, no. A man may be loquacious, as I would be if I took one glass and a half of whiskey; but I would be offended if anybody said that I was drunk. You would have to prove a man was drunk by medical evidence.

The Chairman (Mr. Quigley)—Dr. Daly, giving evidence before the Committee, said that there was such difficulty in proving a charge of drunkenness. He suggested the definition : "Distinctly under the influence of alcohol." He considered that that might be an offence.

"UNDER THE INFLUENCE."

Mr. Murphy—I would be distinctly under the influence of alcohol after a glass and a half of whiskey. Yet I would remember everything I would do, and I would be by no means incapable of doing anything.

General O'Duffy—If you got another glass would you be incapable? No; I would not. We say that there ought to be no mercy shown to anyone drunk in charge of a car.

The Chairman—We all agree as to the difficulty of bringing home a charge of drunkenness to a motorist.

General O'Duffy said that a definition of drunkenness from the Association would help them.

Mr. Murphy said that he would see if that could be done.

The witness then dealt with suggestions as to driving signals, age of drivers, and driving tests. He said, with regard to age, that the only ground upon which any change could possibly be justified would be the production of definite evidence and statistics to show that the driving of motor cars or cycles by persons whose ages were just above the present age limits, had been productive of an abnormal number of accidents, or an abnormal number of offences.

THE CHIEF OFFENDER.

He had carefully considered the question of driving tests. So far as driving ability was concerned, he was satisfied that no practical advantage would accrue. It was the Association's experience that novices were not responsible for any abnormal number of accidents. The chief offender was the experienced driver, who took chances, and was inclined to recklessness. There would always be a small minority of such persons, and the only cure was the withdrawal of the driving licence.

As to physical fitness, accidents due to physical defects were rare, and the Automobile Association would be prepared to undertake special driving tests for persons whose application would be rejected on the grounds of physical disability.

"JOY-RIDING."

Other recommendations which the witness made on behalf of his Association were that it should not be an offence for a motorist not to produce his licence when requested, provided that he gave his correct name and address, and produced it to the proper authority within three days; that any person who takes a "joy-ride" in a car (without the consent of the owner) shall be liable to have his licence suspended; and that it be an offence for any unauthorised person to tamper with the brakes or mechanism of a car.

MOTOR TRADE VERSUS CATTLE TRADE.

Mr. John Leonard, accompanied by Messrs. Mathew Bruton, John Cassidy, Laurence M. Cuffe, and Mr. J. P. MacAvin, Secretary, gave evidence on behalf of the National Executive of the Live Stock Trade, and submitted the following recommendations :—

(1) That in the precincts of fairs and markets the live stock on the roads be the first consideration in the regulation of traffic control, being, as they are, the chief industry of the country;

(2) Drivers of mechanical transport vehicles should be made to recognise that live stock could not be controlled with the same accuracy as a machine;

(3) The question of closing certain routes to stations and wharves against motor vehicles (this would be better dealt with at a conference of the traders and Civic Guard).

(4) The licensing of casual drovers in the metropolitan area.

Mr. Leonard added that every branch of the industry was suffering from severe depression. War-time charges and expenses remained, and enhanced prices had disappeared; so that every added expense was another weight to depress an already overburdened industry. Owing to motor traffic cattle formerly driven by night to Dublin market were now driven during the day.

CATTLE RUN DOWN.

Mr. Cuffe (Salesmasters' Association) pointed out the serious accidents which occurred from the main roads being tarred and steam-rolled. Though drovers nearly always made way for motorists to get through cattle or sheep, he frequently heard of men and stock being run down. Was it to be motor traffic only, and were the owners of stock to have no consideration? The cattle trade of Ireland was slightly more important than the motor trade or traffic. 'Buses should not, he thought, be allowed in the vicinity of the Cattle Market on Thursdays, and their width should be restricted. He favoured one-way traffic along the quays. He considered that there were too many 'buses competing for Dublin traffic.

LICENSING OF DROVERS.

Referring to the licensing of cattle-drovers, he said that the best means of identifying a man would be a card showing whose cattle he was driving. Owing to motor 'buses travelling from Belfast at 40 m.p.h. along the Swords road, the cattle were driven to market at night.

Mr. Bryan, Superintendent, Cattle Market, giving evidence on the licensing of drovers, said that with a view to abolishing or diminishing cruelty to animals, the Dublin Borough Commissioners already had approved of the proposal to license drovers, and such would make for the better control of road traffic.

AN EXPLANATION.

The Chairman said that he had noticed a statement in a letter which appeared in the Press that invitations had been sent out by the Committee to certain people, and no invitations to others. No official invitations had been issued. An advertisement had been inserted in the usual way inviting evidence, which must, in the first instance, be seen in the form of a written statement. When this had been examined, and, if considered of sufficient importance, they invited the witness to attend their public sittings. The only matter up to the present which had been considered as not sufficiently important to warrant their asking the witness to give oral evidence had been the case of individual statements, not purporting to be anything beyond the writer's personal opinion.

The Committee were still ready to consider any evidence that might be submitted

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NORTHERN EGGS AND BUTTER.

GREATER PUBLICITY URGED.

Mr. Sydney Smith, principal marketing inspector of the Northern Ministry of Agriculture, in the course of an address to the Belfast and North of Ireland Grocers' Association, said that under the Northern Marketing of Eggs Act, which came into operation on January 1, 1925, all dealers in eggs—both collectors and merchants—were licensed.

Continuing, Mr. Smith said that the way in which the egg trade was carried on in prewar years, and again up to the end of 1924, made it imperative for the Government to introduce drastic legislation if the industry was to survive at all, as all voluntary efforts made were of no avail.

Their eggs now commanded the highest prices in the British markets. In fact, when out in Canada this year it was a pleasure to him to hear it publicly stated by a Canadian agent that Northern Ireland eggs were undoubtedly the best eggs sold in Britain.

The consumption of eggs in Canada was 337 per head per annum, in the United States of America 200, in Great Britain less; and much more might be done in Northern Ireland to get the public to eat more eggs, now that the quality of them was right, and that association could stimulate a demand by propaganda similar to the "eat more fruit" advertising campaign.

BUTTER SCHEME.

Passing on to speak of butter, Mr. Smith said that, although legislation had not yet been introduced as in the Free State, the Ministry had a scheme whereby their inspectors in dairying gave technical advice to the proprietors and managers of creameries and separating stations. Another feature of the scheme was the holding of surprise butter inspections. To make sure that the element of surprise was a reality, samples of these inspections were called for by telegram or might be forwarded to an inspector of the Ministry.

Ministry inspections had been held at Birmingham, Manchester, Glasgow, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Cardiff, and it was gratifying to know that, although the standard fixed by the Ministry in regard to flavour, texture, marketable appearance, packing, finish, etc., was so high, about 70 per cent. of the participating creameries sent butter which was deemed to be of standard quality in all respects.

As most other countries had now legislation in regard to foodstuffs, it was not a sound policy to continue supplying goods of irregular quality. With the cost of labour nearly double what it was in 1914, and freights generally showing an increase of, roughly, 75 per cent., they could not afford to have their produce standardised, and must see that the guaranteed quality of their eggs, butter, bacon, and potatoes was such that the merchant could be reasonably sure that every article offered would be satisfactory.

Mr. Smith proceeded to deal with the need for preparing bacon, potatoes, and fruit for the market on the most selling lines, and, in conclusion, asked for the co-operation of the Grocers' Association in carrying out the aims of the Ministry, so as to secure the best results.

GREATER PUBLICITY.

In a discussion which ensued, the speakers being Mr. A. M. Thompson, Mr. Isaac M'Elroy, Mr. T. R. Nixon, Mr. S. Brown, Mr. William Patterson, and Mr. J. Gamble, it was urged that greater publicity should be resorted to in regard to Ulster produce. While the Irish Free State paid no contribution to Imperial expenditure, and Ulster did, yet the Empire Marketing Board had recently advertised Free State produce only. Steps should be taken to remedy that.

DRINK QUESTION IN THE NORTH.

ANTI-PROHIBITION COUNCIL MEETING.

Mr. H. H. Chettle (Dunville and Co.), who presided at the monthly meeting of the Ulster Anti-Prohibition Council in Belfast yesterday, said that it was difficult to answer such a tirade as the Rev. T. M. Johnstone was reported to have delivered recently in the Newington Presbyterian Church in a proper spirit of reverence. He suggests, said Mr. Chettle, that we are afraid to stand up and say that Christ ever drank wine. Suffice it to say that all the great Christian Churches have founded one of their most sacred Sacraments upon Christ's use of wine. It is quite certain from the Bible itself that the disciples and those who formed the early Christian Churches believed that wine was to be used, and down the centuries this belief has been held by all the great Christian Churches.

Mr. James W. Gyle, M.P., dealt at length with the statement made in advertisements in the newspapers that if drink were abolished, unemployment would cease to exist. If the statement of the owner) shall be liable to have advertisement was correct, he said, in Ulster, during the financial year 1926-27 should have been a place where unemployment was rapidly dying out, but, as everyone knew, during that period unemployment was at its worst. As for the statement in the advertisement regarding insanity, he said that the report of the Resident Medical Superintendent of the Omagh Asylum showed that drink was not in any way a "potent factor" as a cause of insanity.

Mr. Chester Nugent (J. and J. McConnell, Ltd.), said that they looked up to the Prime Minister to redeem the pledges that he made during the passing of the Act, and on various occasions since, that he would amend the 1923 Licensing Act if and when it was shown that it was not working out in accordance with the intentions of Parliament when it passed it. The Act had now been in force a sufficiently long period to prove that several of its provisions were working diametrically opposite to the original intentions of Parliament, and with deplorable results to the health of the people and the enjoyment of tourists.

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by anyone who claimed to represent any union, society or association interested in road traffic regulations, and to give them an opportunity of tendering supplementary evidence.

The inquiry was adjourned till to-day.

Mr. J. Quigley (Chief Engineer, Local Government Department), Chairman, presided, and the other members were:—Messrs. T. J. Flynn (Ministry for Industry and Commerce), J. E. Duff (Ministry for Justice), General O'Duffy (Commissioner, Civic Guards), H. J. Moylan (Local Government and Public Health), C. J. Whelan (Local Government and Public Health), Secretary.

A PROTEST.

PLEA FOR THE SMALLER COMPANIES.

In the course of a letter, Mr. E. D'Arcy, Secretary of the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union, which is affiliated to the Dublin Trades Council, writes :—

"All companies, large or small, have the right to exist, and the authorities should not countenance in any shape or form the monopolist propaganda that so far has been spread at the Inter-Departmental Inquiry. The smaller companies, as a matter of fact, are paying higher wages to their 'bus hands than the larger companies. Preferential treatment of the larger companies would not in any way tend to the betterment of the 'bus services, or alter the existing traffic regulations one iota. As a matter of fact, there are not nearly enough 'buses catering for the public at present, and if the various routes needing a 'bus service were covered, it would mean a very great increase of employment in the ranks of the 'bus drivers, coach painters and coach builders.

TESTS FOR DRIVERS.

"It seems strange that Rathmines, Ranelagh and other suburbs on the tram routes are not run over by the company's 'buses.

"I would suggest to the gentlemen hearing the evidence at this Inquiry that :—

"1.—A searching driving test for all applicants for the motor driving licences would eliminate the 'dud' driver, and would also decrease by more than 50-p.c. the accidents and traffic faults, thereby removing the main cause of these troubles at one stroke. This Union has all along advocated that all public service 'bus drivers should be fully qualified men who have passed a rigorous driving test.

"2.—All motor drivers, particularly those in the 'bus services, work not more than 48 hours per week in the interest of the public safety, and also in the interest of their (the drivers') health."

CORK'S NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY.

WORK OF CONSTRUCTION BEGUN.

OFFICIALS' FRUITFUL EFFORTS.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Wednesday.

Although work has been begun on the new premises for the Cork Public Library, it is believed that at least eighteen months will elapse before the building is completed. The new premises are situated on the Grand Parade, and the contract cost of their construction is £18,871.

A glance at the frontage space gives little indication of the real extent of the building. So spacious is it that all the public rooms will be placed on the ground floor. They include a lending library, 70 feet by 25 feet; the news room, 70 feet by 25 feet; the reference library, 48 feet by 24 feet; and a juvenile library and reading room, 48 feet by 16 feet, with its own separate entrance.

A corridor will divide the library and newsroom from the reference and juvenile departments. Ample stock-rooms and storerooms are provided, and the entire building will be lighted with side and corridor windows. In structure and arrangement the new building conforms with the latest ideas of public library construction.

The Cork Public Library building was destroyed by fire in 1920. Despite lack of space, however, the library has completed three years of valuable work in its present temporary premises.

The task of re-stocking the library fell to the Secretary and Librarian, Mr. James Wilkinson, F.L.A., and his assistants, and it has been discharged with ample credit. Virtually all the contents of the older library were lost or destroyed.

BOOKS AND THEIR READERS.

Since operations were resumed 11,000 books have been added to the stock, and 367,973 volumes have been issued for home reading and for purposes of consultation at the Library. Last year's was the largest total recorded since the institution was founded in 1893.

The works read or consulted by the public cover a wide field. They range from ordinary books of reference to technical works, from history and biography to dissertations upon art and music and from criticism to poetry and fiction. Fiction, of course, claim the greater number of the volumes chosen for home reading; but its popularity is by no means disproportionate. Of 8,000 volumes in the lending library, about 3,000 are works of fiction, and it is noteworthy that of the fiction wanted the more modern seem to be in most demand. All departments of the library, however, are well patronised, and this morning when I visited it I found every section—not omitting the juvenile one—active.

RATHDOWN MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

GUARDIANS SUBMIT.

The Rathdown Board of Guardians have submitted at length to the Ministry for Local Government in the matter of appointing the nominees of the Appointments Commission as medical officers for the Killiney and Glencullen dispensary districts.

Yesterday the board received what was the ultimatum of the Ministry. A letter read at the board meeting stated that, unless the appointments were made that day, in accordance with the Act, the Minister would give the necessary instruction to compel the Guardians to carry out their duties, and would name as special defendants, with a view to the recovery of costs, those members of the Board of Guardians whose action had rendered the proceedings necessary.

Mr. Marlay said that it was with feelings of regret and disgust that he proposed that the Guardians should make the appointments as directed, protesting at the same time against the method which had been resorted to, and the utter discourtesy which had been shown to the Guardians in refusing to supply the board with the names and qualifications of all the applicants.

Mr. Leonard seconded.

Mr. Kelly moved that the appointments should be made without any protest. The white feather, he said, was shown in the resolution. It was the expense which had frightened Mr. Marley.

Mr. Molloy seconded Mr. Kelly's motion.

A petition signed by 500 ratepayers in Killiney and Ballybrack was submitted. It expressed the signatories' appreciation of the manner in which Dr. Fitzpatrick had performed his duties during the past twelve months.

Replies were read from five of the County Dublin deputies, stating that they were prepared to receive a deputation from the Guardians on the matter of these appointments.

Mr. Marley's motion was carried by nine votes to three, and, accordingly, Dr. Enright, Listowel, was appointed medical officer for the Killiney District, and Dr. Sexton, Monkstown, medical officer for the Glencullen district.

DALKEY'S POSITION.

At a meeting of the Dalkey Urban Council last night Mr. Triston said that, owing to the action of the Rathdown Guardians in appointing Dr. Enright medical officer for Killiney, he would automatically become medical officer for the Dalkey district, and would be eligible for a pension, like his predecessor. The ratepayers of Dalkey had absolutely no say in this appointment, but must pay the salary and pension. He held that the Ministry in such circumstances should pay both salary and pension.

"INCITING TO MURDER."

CHARGE AGAINST AN EX-BRIGADIER.

At Tralee, before Acting District Justice R. Naish, Mr. Eamon Horan, Bridge street, Tralee, an ex-Brigadier-General of the Free State Army, was charged on remand with inciting to murder at Knocknagoshal on the 12th September. The charge arose out of a speech which, it is alleged, was delivered by the accused at a Fianna Fail meeting.

The hearing of the charge was fixed for a Special Court at Tralee on Monday, 7th November, the accused being again admitted to bail.

WOMAN'S BAD RECORD.

MONEY STOLEN LOST ON BETTING.

"You had no right to bet on horse-racing unless you had money to lose," said Mr. Justice Kenny in passing sentence of twelve months' imprisonment, with hard labour, on a young woman named Kitty O'Grady, of no settled abode, who stated that she had thus lost £3 10s., which she was charged with stealing from the house of Mrs. Maud Clark, Knocknabehy, where she had been employed as a general servant.

The accused woman, who, it was stated, had been returned for trial on two other charges, in one case to the Waterford Circuit, smiled as she was removed from the dock.

CO. WEXFORD SANATORIUM

OFFER TO HEALTH BOARD.

Mr. M. J. O'Connor, solicitor, Wexford, has written to the Secretary of the County Health Board offering, on the part of Mr. James R. Dier, of Coolhawn, to sell, in fee-simple, free of rent, to the County Health Board, as a site for the proposed County Sanatorium, the mansion of Coolhawn, as it now stands, after the fire, twenty acres of pleasure grounds, gardens and walks, and sixty acres of good arable land, all adjoining, at the price of £3,000.

Mr. O'Connor points out that the site, eight miles from Enniscorthy and four miles from Clonroche, and three miles from the White Mountains and Blackstairs, is most suitable for the purpose. With an outlay of about £5,000 to £8,000 the place could accommodate from two hundred to three hundred patients and staff. After this expenditure there could not be anything like the sanatorium anywhere.

The County Health Board will consider the offer at their meeting next week.

ARMAGH SYNOD.

PRIMATE AND LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

INSPIRING AGREEMENT

The Primate of All Ireland presided at the the Armagh Diocesan Synod in the Synod Hall, Armagh. The clerical and lay attendance was large.

His Grace nominated Lord Justice Best as his assessor.

On the motion of the Earl of Belmore, seconded by Sir James Strong, the Archdeacon of Armagh was appointed Diocesan Secretary.

PRIMATE'S ADDRESS.

The Primate, in the course of his address, referred to the Lausanne Conference. He said—Before concluding I think I ought to give you some account, however brief, of the great Conference on Faith and Order which took place at Lausanne in August, and in which I took part as a representative of the Church of Ireland. In that Conference nearly all Christian Churches had a part. The only great body which had no share was the Roman Catholic Church. The Churches of the East were strongly represented. So were all the great Protestant Churches of these Islands, of the Continent, of America, and of other more distant parts of the world. The purpose of the Conference was to discuss all the great problems connected with Faith and Order, with a view to some ultimate movement towards Christian unity.

It was indeed a remarkable gathering, and the degree of agreement which was reached upon many fundamental questions was greater than could have been expected. The Conference was divided into seven sections, to each of which a definite subject was committed, upon which that section had to report to the Conference as a whole. I cannot here and now, in the space at my disposal, go through these reports. They are of very unequal value, for while some show a very wonderful agreement, others do little more than register points of difference. The two most valuable, it seems to me, are the second and fourth, those on the "Gospel, the Church's Message to the World," and on the "Common Confession of Faith."

SUPREME IMPORTANCE.

The agreement on these fundamental questions of faith was most wonderful and inspiring. This is indeed a point of supreme importance. There are people now who tell us that the Christian faith is passing, that science and modern criticism, and the divisions of Christendom, are destroying the ancient faith. Hostile voices are constantly affirming that the great Protestant Churches are drifting into Unitarianism or Pantheism or complete infidelity. The Lausanne Conference gives a complete and most emphatic denial to all such statements. Remember that at Lausanne the Great Protestant Churches of all denominations were most powerfully represented. The Presbyterian Churches of Scotland, Ireland, and England, of America and other Continents; the Methodist and Congregational Churches of the world; the Lutheran Churches of Nortern Europe; the Protestant Chuches of Switzerland and France; the immense Protestant Churches peculiar to America.

Many of those who represented these great bodies were men of very remarkable gifts of learning and spiritual power. The weight of Protestant feeling and conviction was, indeed, overwhelming. We have heard so much about the more remote Churches of the East, and others, that this fact has not, I think, been sufficiently realised. Yet so it was. And I must here bear witness to the kindly and most brotherly spirit which was displayed by the representatives of these great communities.

A COMPLETE ANSWER.

As I left Lausanne I felt how complete and how crushing was the answer given by the Conference to the doubters and croakers who tell us that Christianity is passing away and will perish in the modern world; and how resounding was the reply to those reactionaries who tell us that the only way to save it is to turn back to the beliefs and practices of the Middle Ages. I wish the Press in this country had grasped this fact more fully. The picturesque costumes of Eastern ecclesiastics and the doings of some small groups seemed to divert attention from the great significant central fact that nine-tenths of the great assembly at Lausanne stood for the union of Christian faith and Christian liberty.

THE QUESTION OF EDUCATION.

The Rev. E. A. Nelson, moving the adoption of the report of the Diocesan Board of Education, said that at least twice as many Church of Ireland teachers as they had at present were required. Other denominations had far more candidates at Stranmillis Training College than they had, and in a few years there would be difficulties unless the number was increased. The Board had formed a bursary scheme for students in training.

The Rev. Canon Leslie seconded.

A member of the Synod said there might be a difficulty if a Free State pupil won the bursary, and then could not make use of it because of a regulation about teaching in Northern Ireland.

The Rev. W. D. Ewart said it was not the poverty of the students going forward to the training college, but the provision of a proper channel for children wishing to enter the teaching profession. The policy of the Northern Ministry of Education seemed to be to do away with the monitorial system and deprive the children in rural districts of the chance of being eligible as monitors. As a consequence monitors were appointed in the larger towns. The Ministry ought to increase the grant to teachers for instructing monitors and certain schools in country districts should be appointed centres for the teaching of monitors.

The Rev. Canon Ford said that in the Free State portion of the diocese they were in a very unhappy position as regarded bursaries and other matters. In Southern Ireland they could not get sufficient candidates for their training schools, and teachers trained at Stranmillis were not accepted in the South. If bursaries were made for Northern Ireland consideration should be given to candidates from Southern Ireland.

The Primate said that a great mistake was being made, because there was in existence a much bigger bursary scheme in the Free State, and which had been warmly supported even by the North.

The Rev. S. Mayes moved a resolution stating that in the opinion of the Synod the Board of Education should, in negotiating the transfer of schools, safeguard the property and interests of the Church with more zealous care.

After long discussion the motion was passed by a majority.

THE ELECTIONS.

The following was the result of the election to the Diocesan Council of Armagh :—Clerical—Revs. M. B. Hogg, A. Johnston, W. D. Ewart, H. Todd, S. Mayes, E. A. Nelson, G. W. Milliken. Supplemental—Revs. H. E. D. Egerton, P. Marks, G. Bloomer.

Lay—Mr. Isaac Davidson, Dr. Dougan, Messrs. W. F. Greer, J. Fanning, W. F. S. Wilkinson, and J. H. Gray. Supplemental—Messrs. C. Hamilton, G. W. Bowen, and Dr. C. C. Deane.

TYRONE AND DERRY.

Clerical—Revs. D. G. Allman, F. Kinch, J. F. M'Endoo, H. E. Hardy, and J. R. Sythes. Supplemental—Revs. G. Bloomer and R. W. S. Maltby.

Lay—Mr. R. Cluff, Colonel Lenox-Conyngham, Mr. C. D. M. Chambre, the Earl of Belmore, and Mrs. L. Adair. Supplemental—Viscount Charlemont, Mr. T. M'Gregor Greer.

LOUTH.

Clerical—Revs. F. F. Campbell, J. H. Leslie, and C. E. French. Supplemental—Rev. W. B. Allman.

Lay—Messrs. G. Crome, M. Hesse, and A. Swann. Supplemental—Mr. A. Tempest.

The following were elected as Diocesan Nominators—Clerical, Ven. Archdeacon Irwin and Rev. F. Tichborne; lay, Mr. H. B. Armstrong.

The report of the Diocesan Council was adopted unanimously, on the motion of Colonel Lewis, seconded by Rev. F. J. Halahan, who said it was very desirable that certain parishes well able to do so should raise their income above the minimum stipend. That would be a most helpful thing for the parishes and for the Church.

IRISH HERRING FISHING.

The herring report for week ended 1st October, 1927, states that the following catches were made :—

Kinsealagh :—626 crans; prices, 47/- to 72/6; quality mixed.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE MAYNOOTH PASTORAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—All true Christian Irishmen must read with approval and gratitude the Pastoral Address of the Plenary Synod of Maynooth. It is conceived in a spirit of broad toleration and Christian sympathy and charity towards all. I pray that it may be taken to heart by all our people, Protestants as well as Roman Catholics. Truth, however, compels a word of criticism. The Pastoral rightly condemns the present danger of perjury and the disregard of the binding nature of an oath. Yet for the past nineteen years the Roman Church throughout the world has taught that the marriage vows of Roman Catholics are an "empty formula" if taken in the presence of any official witness except a particular bishop or priest of that Church. I cannot help thinking that this rule is detrimental to religion and morality and should be abolished.

With regard to the State the Pastoral says:—"This authority, no less than society itself, has its source in nature, and has consequently God for its author." Hence it follows that all public power must proceed from God; for He alone is the true and supreme Lord of the world." Yet we have had the spectacle of a high ecclesiastic of the Roman Church—to mention only one instance—travelling throughout the world and, without rebuke or censure from any ecclesiastical authority, exhorting Irishmen to refuse due honour and loyalty to the supreme ruler of their country. I mention these facts to show that the laity are not solely to blame for conditions which we all must deplore.—Yours, etc.,

DUDLEY FLETCHER.

St. Laserian's, Old Leighlin,
October 4th, 1927.

ARCHITECTS AND THE GOVERNMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I note with considerable satisfaction that the Institute of Architects has at last raised its voice in protest against the conduct of the Free State Government in their very unfair monopoly of work which should rightly be distributed among the practising architects throughout the Free State, and it is sincerely to be hoped that this protest, although somewhat belated, will have the desired effect. Another matter which constitutes a very real grievance is the preparation of plans for private clients by officials who are already well paid for their services as "whole-time" officers. It is hardly necessary to point out that such competition is most unfair to professional men struggling to make a sufficient income to maintain themselves and their staff. The Government must take action to put an end to it.—Yours, etc.,

"FIAT JUSTITIA."

Dublin, October 5th, 1927.

CUSTOMS DELAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It seems an extraordinary thing that, although the Irish Free State talks of prosperity in commercial circles, there is not a determined effort to see that consignments of goods are released and delivered as soon as duties are paid by traders. There exists to-day a tendency to delay delivery rather than to speed up clearing and deliveries. It is often a week or ten days after duties are paid that goods can be secured, and this invariably puts the trader in a most awkward and undesirable position through no cause other than dilatoriness on the part of officials badly organised. In addition to this, the trader is put to expense in splitting up consignments which should be able to go in one lot.

Why should there not be a special man at each of the railway company's North Wall departments to release goods immediately duties are paid? This would facilitate matters in every way, would give a fillip to the much talked of prosperity, and would ease the minds of many traders or wholesalers importing goods.—Yours, etc.,

H. C. ASTON.

30 Dawson street, Dublin,
October 5th, 1927.

THE WIGG-COCHRANE CASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I fear that "Scrutator" is guilty of an over-statement in his summary of the Privy Council judgment in the Wigg and Cochrane case, inasmuch as he claims that "the British Treasury minute of the 30th March, 1922, has been held not to be binding on Treaty pensioners." The compensation allowances issued from the Paymaster-General's Office, Dublin Castle, for the last quarter—to 30th September, 1927—were covered by a printed slip :—"Mr. —— is informed that, in accordance with the provisions of Circular Letter No. 222/E3 (dated 11th May, 1922), from the Ministry of Finance, the supplementary pension payable to him for the quarter ending last day of September, 1927, is at the rate of £— per annum, calculated on the basis of a cost of living figure of 72."

Circular Letter No. 222/E3 embodied the British Treasury Minute of the 30th March, 1922.—Yours, etc.,

"LEX."

Dublin, October 5th, 1927.

During Tuesday night a garage on the Mall, Newry, used by commercial travellers to garage their motor vans, was entered by thieves, who took a quantity of gloves and drapery goods from one van. A key, it is presumed, was used to gain an entry, as the door was not forced in any way.

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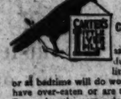

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Rev. G. J. WALSH, M.A., Bishop-Designate of Hokkaido, Japan.
Rev. W. W. Cash, D.S.O., General Secretary, C.M.S., London.

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(b) Veterinary Inspector for Dungarvan District for Disease of Animals Acts duties and Public Health duties. Inclusive salary £170 a year payable by the County Council and Board of Public Health.
(c) Veterinary Inspector for supervision of Meat and Milk supplies, Dungarvan Urban District. Salary £10 a year.
(d) Veterinary Inspector for duties under the Diseases of Animals Acts in Youghal No. 2 District. Salary £75 a year.
(e) Veterinary Inspectors for supervision of the Milk Supply in the Castleblayney and Monaghan Rural areas. Salary £25 a year for Castleblayney area. Salary £45 a year for Monaghan area.
(f) Veterinary Inspector for the supervision of Meat and Milk Supplies, Bray Urban District. Salary £25 a year.
All the above-named posts are part-time, permanent and non-pensionable.
(g) Veterinary Inspector for supervision of the Milk Supply in the Trim Rural District. The post is part-time. The person appointed shall reside in the district. Appointment will be for one year. Salary £40.
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CONTRACTS.

NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited from competent Builders for the Erection of proposed New Chapel and Classrooms at Belvedere College, Dublin, for the Very Rev. M. Quinlan, S.J., Rector, in accordance with Plans and Specification prepared by Messrs. Jones and Kelly, M.M.R.I.A.I., Architects, 17 South Frederick street, Dublin, which may be inspected at their offices.
Bills of Quantities have been prepared by Mr. M. J. Cullen, M.I.Q.S.A., Quantity Surveyor, 49 Grafton street, Dublin, from whom they can be had on application and payment of a deposit of Five Guineas, returnable on receipt of a bona-fide Tender.
Tenders to be delivered at the Architects' offices on or before noon on the 17th October, 1927, in sealed envelopes endorsed "Tender for proposed New Chapel and Classrooms at Belvedere College, Dublin," accompanied by the Priced Bill of Quantities in a separate sealed and endorsed cover.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
The Builder whose Tender may be accepted will be required to enter into a regular Contract with the Employer, and to find two good and substantial sureties, who will become bound with him jointly and severally in a sum equal to two-thirds the amount of Contract, for the due performance thereof.
JONES and KELLY, M.M.R.I.A.I., 17 South Frederick street, Dublin.

THE DEAN'S ORANGE JOINT BURIAL BOARD.
TO CLOTHING CONTRACTORS.
The Dean's Grange Joint Burial Board invite Tenders for Workmen's Clothing, Hats, Boots, Irish manufacture, in accordance with Specifications and samples, to be seen at the Registrar's Office during office hour. Tenders to be delivered at Dean's Gr. ne Cemetery at or before 12 o'clock noon on THURSDAY, the 13th OCTOBER, 1927.
Trades Union labour and condition.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated this 4th day of October, 1927.
JOHN J. DUNNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
Dean's Grange Cemetery, Monkstown, Co. Dublin.

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2,000-YEAR-OLD COINS.

A boy out with a shooting party in Chute Forest, Wiltshire, recently picked up a stone, and on tossing it to the ground was surprised to see a number of gold coins fall out of it. There were 65 in all.

At an inquest on the "find," held at Amesbury yesterday, it was decided that the pieces were treasure trove, and should be handed to the Crown. The Coroner read a letter from the British Museum authorities, in which it was stated that the coins were about 2,000 years old.

The Irish Times.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Primate presided at the Armagh Diocesan Synod, which was held yesterday in the Synod Hall, Armagh.—(Page 5.)

At yesterday's sitting of the Inter-Departmental Committee on the Control of Road Traffic, held in the Department of Agriculture, Dublin, Mr. Charles H. Murphy, Irish Secretary of the Automobile Association, gave evidence. Evidence was also given on behalf of the live stock industry.—(Page 5.)

The proposal to start a greyhound racing track at The Orchards, Harold's Cross, Dublin, was again discussed at the meeting of the Rathmines Urban District Council yesterday.—(Page 11.)

One of the largest firms of consulting engineers and patent agents is opening a branch office in Dublin, in view of the possibilities foreshadowed by the Free State Industrial and Commercial Property (Protection) Act.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Marshall, the magistrate at the West London Police Court, yesterday fixed October 28th for the hearing of summonses brought by the Anti-Gambling League against the Greyhound Racing Association and a bookmaker to test the legality of betting on dog races.—(Page 13.)

The strangled body of Constance Gertrude Oliver, a typist, who had been missing from her home in Battersea since Sunday night, was found in Richmond Park, Surrey, yesterday.—(Page 8.)

An outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease at Enfield, Middlesex, has resulted in the application of the usual restrictions to the whole of the City of London and the County of London north of the Thames.—(Page 7.)

The British Labour Party decided yesterday to work for the nationalisation of the coal mines.—(Page 8.)

ABROAD.

The Australian Tariff Board reports that protective duties have led to stagnation, and have added to the cost of production and the cost of living.—(Page 7.)

General Gomez, the second insurgent leader in Mexico, has been executed. Several lives have been lost in rioting in Mexico City.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Listowel yesterday Court Picture won the Kerry Plate, Prickles the Tralee Plate, Golden Strand the Tradesmen's Plate, Lisworney the Stewards' Plate, and Wild Thistle the Killarney Plate.—(Page 12.)

At Chepstow Sun Yat-sen won the Glanely Handicap.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were firm. British Celanese fluctuated wildly. "Canpacs" reacted 5 points to 201.—(Page 4.)

Loanable credits in Lombard street were scarce, and borrowers had to pay up to 4½ per cent. for loans over the night. At the close advances were offered at 4 per cent. and under.—(Page 4.)

Dublin Market was interesting. Coats and Celanese Ord. advanced sharply. Dublin Trams were weak at 80s.—(Page 4.)

A System on Trial.

The parliamentary situation in the Free State is likely to rank as a classical problem in political theory. Proportional representation is on its trial, and the eyes of students in many lands are set on Dublin. The *Dáil* which was returned at the general election of June proved, on division, to be so composed that the groups supporting the Government yielded but a questionable majority of two. A second general election was held, with the result that, while the present Government is likely to command a somewhat larger balance of support in the House than before the dissolution, it will depend to some extent on the favour of small parties and independent members. Is it possible for a Government thus placed to carry out a progressive legislative programme? In the July issue of the *Dublin Magazine* Mr. John H. Humphreys, Secretary of the Proportional Representation Society, analysed the experience of other countries which, since the Great War, have been governed by Parliaments in which no single party had a majority of seats. He suggested that this situation was likely to be henceforward a common political phenomenon, and argued that it would make for progress in the art of government—provided that three great principles should receive general recognition. Those principles are freedom to apply the human mind to political and economic problems; justice, including the equitable representation of all citizens in Parliament, and co-operation of parties in the carrying through of policies for which it is proved that the nation is ready.

In the October issue of the magazine British, American, German, Scandinavian, Yugo-Slav and even Indian political thinkers comment upon Mr. Humphreys' essay—and thus, indirectly, on the Free State's problem. In the main, these authorities agree with Mr. Humphreys. Mr. Gunnar Gyllander, a Swedish writer, tells how, in Sweden, under proportional representation, a small party of 32 members out of a Lower House of 230 formed a Government, held office for a prolonged period, and carried out a considerable programme of legislation by consent. "Is there not something attractive," he asks, "in the system by which, in the course of the same session, the parties to the right and to the left of the Government alternately co-operate in bringing about positive decisions?" Statecraft thus is relieved of the extremist tendencies which appear when the electorate votes on what Mr. Gyllander calls the "all or nothing system." A given party can hope to carry out that part of its policy in which a majority of the people are in sympathy with it; but it cannot hope to commit the nation unawares to revolutionary changes. Thus far most of the writers in the *Dublin Magazine* are agreed. They applaud the theory of proportional representation. With almost equal unanimity, however, they argue that the problem of government admits of no one general answer valid for all peoples at all times. Dr. Leonidas Pitamic, of Ljubljana University, Yugo-Slavia, contends that the advantages of the best electoral system depend "upon the degree of civilisation, political maturity and tradition of the nation" and upon "the social, national and religious structure of the State."

That the actual machinery of proportional representation is beyond the understanding of the Irish electorate is, no doubt, a fallacy. It finds no support among those who stood in the counting rooms after the voting and observed with what sagacity even the most backward classes had "marked their full tickets" for their favoured parties. Self-government, however, requires of a people more than that card-players' skill at elections in which Irish people everywhere are past-masters. It requires sober consideration in the choice between policies. Votes now are cast for measures, and not merely for men. The spirit of give-and-take, too, is needed where parties face one another, not as enemies, but as common servants of the public weal. Under proportional representation readiness to put aside rancour, impatience and extreme demands is doubly necessary. The example of the Continent does not show that the co-operative spirit is developed yet even among highly civilised peoples. Proportional representation yielded place in Italy and Poland to dictatorship, whereby energetic parties seized power in defiance of the constitution. It will be said that Fascism was unjustified in despairing of Parliament—that, with patience, proportional representation would have worked out the redemption of Italy. It might be argued in reply that proportional representation is too slow-moving to satisfy certain peoples at their present stage of political development. Time will show whether the Irish people have it in them to rest satisfied with the common will or whether they demand the imposed will of a strong party.

Tariffs in Australia.

The trade unions are the arbiters of Australian politics and their interests dictate most of the Commonwealth's legislation. Industry is protected by high tariffs; immigration which would swell the ranks of skilled labour is discouraged; in short, every effort is made to stabilise the existing privileges of an exclusive community. For instance, it was revealed this week, at a company meeting in London, that wine casks, made in Australia and exported full, are not accepted for refilling in the country of their manufacture. Their cost to the company is sixty-five shillings, and they fetch only five shillings as "empties" in England. As the chairman said, "the cask industry in Australia is protected, and the wine industry is at the mercy of the Coopers' Union out there." By means of this rigid system of protection Australia is a country of much superficial prosperity. Taxes are low and wages are high; trade unionists seldom are out of employment, and the comfort of the working classes is well in advance of European standards. Nevertheless, economic laws, though they may be defied successfully for a season, always assert themselves in the long run; and one of them is the law that competition is the soul of trade. When protection kills competition two things happen sooner or later. Highly protected industries, fearing no rivalry, decrease the quality and increase the prices of their output. Both of these results produce a steady rise in the cost of living, which soon neutralises the benefits of high wages. Then Labour's remedy is yet higher wages, which give another impetus to the cost of living; and so, while industrial skill, honesty and enterprise continue to deteriorate, the consumers' position is no better, but rather grows worse. We print impressive evidence to-day that already the policy of crushing tariffs is beginning to strike at the roots of Australia's welfare. The Australian Tariff Board's report to the Federal Parliament is a warning of the most solemn kind. It says that the increased tariffs on certain classes of imports, while intended to improve the position of Commonwealth industries, simply have resulted in stagnation. The effect of the duties has been to aggravate the costs of production and the cost of living. Tariffs, the report declares, are being used to "bolster up" industries without regard for the margin of difference between wages abroad and the higher wages which prevail in Australia. The Board's considered conclusion is that the joint tendency of capital and labour to abuse the protective system has created a "serious menace of rising costs," and that, if no effort is made to check the rake's progress, "nothing but disaster is ahead." In these words surely the youngest Dominion may read a salutary lesson. To-day the second largest party in the Free State Parliament is committed to a policy of extreme protection which, if it were enforced, not merely would raise the cost of living to dizzy heights, but would provoke a calamitous retaliation from the country that buys more than ninety *per cent.* of the Irish farmers' produce. Five years of such experiment would leave the Free State a corpse, and the coroner's jury of international opinion would return a verdict of "suicide while of unsound mind."

University Films.

The project of a film dealing with university life at Oxford has aroused the interest of distinguished persons. Films portraying student activities in American universities have been presented successfully, and there is no good reason why the more beautiful and historically richer background of Oxford should not furnish a fine play. The Earl of Birkenhead, although he confesses that he does not visit the "pictures" so frequently as some members of his family, is fully alive to the "staggering difference" which the cinematograph has made in modern character and habits. Ultimately it may be as great a difference as that produced by the invention of printing. First-rate minds no longer regard the cinematograph as a necessary—or an unnecessary—evil. They are concerned lest it may come to be regarded as nothing more than a branch of commerce. Los Angeles has "featured" dramatic spectacles about eighteenth-century France and Plantagenet England, and would have no hesitation in fitting up a "set" to represent Oxford. It would be unfair to deny that great enterprise has been displayed in some of these productions, but "ivy-mantled" towers cannot be transplanted. Europeans themselves have been to blame for failure to seize the opportunities afforded for treatment in venerable colleges and towns, castle walls, summits old in story and landscapes mellowed by a dozen centuries of cultivation. The projected film of Oxford life is based on a novel called "Barbara Goes to Oxford." A feminine interest is essential in a film play, and the story is described by the Vice-Chancellor of the University as a life-like picture of Oxford as it might present itself to the heroines. It is not likely to contain such errors as a woman novelist's version of the boat-race—"all rowed fast, but none so fast as stroke." This undertaking ought to create a public for something a little off the well-beaten track in films.

Pantomimes.

Arrangements are being made in London for the Christmas entertainment season, and it is reported that pantomimes are much out of favour with theatrical managers. Several plays for young people will be produced—revivals of "Alice in Wonderland," "Peter Pan" and "Pinkie and the Fairies," and probably some new ventures—but there may be only one pantomime this year in Central London. It is not difficult to account for this change in taste. The pantomime in recent years has altered its nature completely. Indeed, it no longer possesses any recognisable character as a form of entertainment, but simply has become a framework for the latest popular songs and topical jests. The pantomime "slump" confirms a suspicion that many children, during their annual "treat," conceal their boredom in order not to damp the enthusiasm of the avuncular relatives who accompany them. In reality pantomimes—as necessarily including the conventional characters Pantaloon, Harlequin and Columbine—went out of fashion long ago. The clown has been supplanted by the "dame," whose wit and gambols are not nearly so amusing to the unsophisticated mind. Many elders, too, who still retain a sentimental interest in the old nursery tales, cannot forgive the burlesquing of them in pantomimes. Producers "brightened up" and modernised Robinson Crusoe, Cinderella and Aladdin so much that not a wrack of the original fable was left behind. The pantomime then became a variety show in all but name; little is to be gained by preserving the name, and this seems to be the view of London managers. Genuine entertainments for children, which convey some touch of enchantment, always will bring profit to those who can stage them. The prevailing tendency apparently is that "the play's the thing."

A MEMORY OF PARSONSTOWN.

THE GREAT TELESCOPE.

(BY "K.")

It may be of interest just now to read a memory of Lord Rosse's great telescope when it was new. When Frances Power Cobbe was about eighteen (she was born in December, 1822), her father and she went a tour of visits to his relations in Connaught, travelling very slowly with post-horses to their own carriage, her maid on the box, and stopping at inns on the way. They went first to Drumcar, then to Moydrum Castle, and from there to Garbally, the old home of Mr. Cobbe's mother.

"From Garbally we drove to Parsonstown, where Lady Rosse was good enough to welcome us to indulge my intense longing to see the great telescope, then quite recently erected. Lord Rosse at that time believed that, as he had resolved into separate stars many of the nebulæ which were irresolvable by Herschel's telescope, there was a presumption that all were resolvable; and, consequently, that the nebular hypothesis must be abandoned. The later discovery of gaseous nebulæ by the spectroscope re-established the theory, I was very desirous to see the object having pinned my faith already on the 'Vestiges of Creation' (then a new book), in sequence to Nichol's 'Architecture of the Heavens,' that prose-poem of science.

"Lord Rosse was infinitely indulgent to my girlish curiosity, and took me to see the process of polishing the speculum of his second telescope—a most ingenious piece of mechanism invented mainly by himself. He also showed me models which he had made in plaster of lunar craters. I saw the great telescope next day, but, alas! when darkness came and it was to have been ready for me to look through it, and I was trembling with anticipation, the butler came to the drawing-room door and announced: 'A rainy night, my lord!' It was a life-long disappointment; for we could not stay another day, though hospitably pressed to do so; and I never had another chance. Lord Rosse had guessed already that Robert Chambers was the author of the 'Vestiges,' He explained to me the reason for the enormous mass of masonry on which the seven-foot telescope rested, by the curious fact that even where it stood within his park the roll of a cart more than two miles away, outside, was enough to make the ground tremble and to disturb the observation.

"There was a romantic story then current in Ireland about Lord and Lady Rosse. It was said that, as a young man, he had gone *incognito* and worked as a handicraftsman in some large foundry in the North of England to learn the secrets of machine-making. After a time his employer, considering him a peculiarly promising young artisan, invited him occasionally to a Sunday family dinner, when young Lord Parsons, as he then was, speedily fell in love with his host's daughter. Observing what was going on, the father put a veto on what he thought would be a *mésalliance* for Miss Green, and the supposed artisan left his employment and the country, but not without receiving from the young lady an assurance that she returned his attachment.

"Shortly afterwards, having gone home and obtained his father's consent, he reappeared, and now made his proposals to Mr. Green, *père*, in all due form as the heir of a good estate and an earldom. He was not rejected this time.

"I tell this story as a pretty one current when I saw Lord and Lady Rosse—a very happy and united couple, with little children that have since grown to be distinguished men. Very possibly it may be only a myth" ("Life of F. P. Cobbe," Vol I. pp. 194-5-6.)

BACK TO LONDON.

THEIR MAJESTIES LEAVE BALMORAL.

The King and Queen, the Prince of Wales and Prince George ended their stay at Balmoral yesterday, and left Ballater at 5.45 p.m. for London. A very cordial reception was given to the Royal party on entering Ballater Station, after inspecting in the square a mounted guard of honour of the Royal Scots and taking leave of the officers. Several persons were presented on the platform by the Marquis of Aberdeen and Temair. As the train moved out of the station the King and Queen waved farewells from their saloon.

The Royal train made a ten minutes' halt at Aberdeen Station, and the King and Queen, together with their sons, alighted from their saloon. On the platform awaiting them were Lord Provost Lewis, the magistrates, and other representatives of the Town Council, with whom they shook hands and conversed for some time.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Inter-Departmental Traffic Committee—Boardroom, Department of Agriculture, 11 a.m.
Rotary Club Conference, Greystones, 10 a.m.
Port and Docks Board, 1 p.m.
Circuit Court, Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.
Hibernian Church Missionary Society—Farewell Meeting, Diocesan Hall, Baggot street, 8 p.m.
National Maternity Hospital, Holles street—Annual Meeting, 4 p.m.
Columbia Gramophone Recital, Theatre Royal, 4 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Chinese Bungalow."
Theatre Royal—Varieties.
Abbey Theatre—"The Pipe in the Fields" and "Fanny's First Play."
Olympia Theatre—"Idle Times."
Capitol—Ben Hur.
Metropole Cinema—"Bardelys the Magnificent."
Grafton Picture House—"Love Me and the World is Mine."
Rotunda Pictures—"Three Bad Men."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Diplomacy."
The Carlton—"Into Her Kingdom."
Sackville Picture House—"The Vanishing Race."

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King and Queen left Balmoral Castle yesterday evening, and will arrive in London this morning. Their Majesties will make only a brief stay at Buckingham Palace, and it is expected that the Court will move to Sandringham next Tuesday.

The Prince of Wales is remaining in Scotland at present, but is expected to visit Melton Mowbray shortly to inspect his horses, which are now being prepared for the hunting season on October 26th. His Royal Highness will arrive at Shotton Hall, Shrewsbury, on a visit to the Marquis and Marchioness of Cambridge, whose younger son, Lord Frederick Cambridge, has just returned from Cape Town.

Princess Mary will fulfil several engagements to-day at Wakefield, where she is the guest of Sir Thomas and Lady Kathleen Pilkington; and to-morrow Her Royal Highness will return to Chesterfield House.

Princess Beatrice will return to Kensington Palace next week from Carisbrooke Castle, her official residence in the Isle of Wight. Next Thursday she will attend the concert for which Sir Archibald and Lady Weigall are lending their residence in Hill street, Berkeley square.

The Earl of Granard has returned from Paris, and is in residence at Castle Forbes. The Countess of Granard and her children are spending the late autumn with Mr. Ogden Mills at Staatsburg, New York. The Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury have left Abergeldie Castle, and are now in residence at St. Giles' House, Salisbury. The Countess of Lucan and Lady Barbara and Lady Margaret Bingham have returned to London, and will spend the autumn at 10 Gloucester place.

Admiral of the Fleet Earl Beatty and Countess Beatty returned to London yesterday from Scotland.

M. Paul Valéry, of the French Academy, will be the guest of honour at the luncheon which the Anglo-French Luncheon Club are giving, under the presidency of Mr. John Galsworthy, at Prince's Restaurant, London.

Sir Thomas and Lady Grattan Esmonde are on their way back from Canada in the ss. Minnedosa, which is due at Liverpool to-morrow. The High Commissioner for Canada, Lady and Miss Larkin, landed at Southampton yesterday on their return from Canada. Sir Bennell and Lady Rodd will leave London on Saturday for New York.

Surgeon Keegan has returned to 65 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Jackson has returned to his residence, 84 Ranelagh road.

Mr. George P Moore has returned to 29 Upper Merrion street.

Mr. F. E. Davies, Surgeon Dentist, has returned to 7 Clare street.

Miss Eily Keller has returned to 66 Stephen's Green.

Miss Barry will be at 25 Stephen's Green from to-day until Monday, the 10th inst.

Madame Renée has returned to 51a Dawson street from Paris.

Many charming Coat Frocks in various shades of Crepe-lisse and Repp can be seen in Switzers Costume Gallery—from 3½ gns. A number of smart new Tailormade Costumes have also arrived and can be copied from 7 gns.

Madam, you are invited to call at the Ciro Pearl Salon, Switzers, to inspect and try on at your leisure a Necklet of Ciro Pearls expressing your particular individuality—the perfect complement to your toilette.

Captivating Coats for chilly days in Supple Wool Velours and Chenille, lavishly fur-trimmed sporting influence, in Tweed Tailored Coats, trim Checks and Diagonals.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Lunch and Dine in New Restaurant, Royal Hiberman Hotel. Open on Sunday.

Elizabeth Arden's New York Expert is giving free consultations daily on the Treatment and Care of the Skin. Book your appointment now. 'Phone 4071.—Forrest and Sons, Grafton street.

Warm Matinée Jackets, cosy and charming Dressing Gowns, also smart new Underwear, now being shown by Walpoles, of Suffolk street, Dublin. Specialists in Trousseaux and Baby's Clothing. Walpoles will gladly send estimates by return free. Special October offer now on. Catalogues, full of bargains, sent free, giving full details of hundreds of Down Quilt, Blanket and Cretonne bargains. Walpoles, Suffolk street, Dublin.

Arnotts, of Henry street, invite inspection of their Autumn Fashions.

Veronica has received further selection of Coats and Gowns.—31 Upper Baggot street.

Monsieur Marcel has returned to 2 Dawson street.—Maison Marcel, Ltd., Permanent Waving and Beauty Experts.

Autumn three-piece in beige and flame tweed, with jumper and skirt in beige stockinette, at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton st.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals—Miss W. Creed Meredith, D. Murphy, Commandant E. A. Homan, Miss M. E. Homan, Mr. and Mrs. Harans, Dr. F. Bustace, Captain F. J. Allen, P. C. F. Kirkham, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kennedy, A. Lacey Johnson, Dr. M. Horan, Thomas Handley.

Departures—W. Kirwan, M. J. McAssy, Sir James C. Percy, Dr. Charles Carey, Dr. J. F. Murphy, Mr. H. Mayne, Miss E. Mayne, J. E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Henry, J. Swan, A. W.

"ACT OF FAITH AND HOPE IN THE COUNTRY."

SHANNON SCHEME INSPIRES FOREIGN CONFIDENCE.

POWERS OF SUPPLY BOARD.

VISIT TO ARDNACRUSHA REVEALS REMARKABLE PROGRESS.

THE magnitude of the task essayed in "harnessing" the Shannon for the development of electric power, and the remarkable progress that has been made, are described by our special correspondent who visited the great works at Ardnacrusha, County Limerick, yesterday.

4,000 Irishmen and 500 Germans are engaged on the work, which proceeds without cessation day and night.

To-day the works will be visited by the members of the Electricity Supply Association, who are holding their annual general meeting in Limerick City. Speaking at the annual dinner, last night, Mr. William Hewat, President, declared that whatever controversies there might have been at the beginning, there could be no difference of opinion now as to the magnitude of the work or the way in which it was being done.

"It is a magnificent act of faith and hope in our country," declared District Justice Flood, "and I know from personal experience that it is so regarded abroad. Nothing is more calculated to impress the would-be investor in Irish industry than the confidence in their country shown by the Government in the Shannon undertaking."

At the business meeting of the Association, earlier in the day, the powers of the Electricity Supply Board were adversely criticised, especially with regard to privately-owned or company-owned electrical undertakings.

THE CENTRE OF ACTIVITY.

A VISIT TO THE WORKS AT ARDNACRUSHA.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LIMERICK, Wednesday.

The magnitude of the task of "harnessing" the Shannon, and the steady progress towards its accomplishment can be realised only when one visits the Siemens-Schuckert works at Ardnacrusha and sees the extraordinary changes that have been wrought during the past few months.

The familiar red standards which have sprung up throughout the length and breadth of the Free State, even to the gates of the capital, were witness to the progress of the work, and their silent evidence was corroborated by frequent statements in the Press; yet all this conveyed to the general public but a very feeble idea of what had been accomplished here at the hub of the scheme.

SCENE OF CEASELESS ACTIVITY.

On visiting the centre of activity to-day I found that the unbroken flat stretch of countryside through which the River Shannon flowed with its stately progress to the sea had vanished utterly. Instead of the rural solitude of the past I found a bustling hive of industry. Everywhere rose a forest of standards, cranes and aerials, broken here and there by tall buildings. A pall of smoke from countless bustling engines partially veiled the blue skies. With their network of rails they gave the impression of a big railway junction, such as Crewe, reproduced in miniature. The presence on the outskirts of the works of hundreds of wooden huts—the temporary homes of the army of workers—reminded one of scenes familiar in England during the war, with a suggestion of early American mining camps thrown in.

THE MAKING OF A CANAL.

From Ardnacrusha, stretching north and south far as eye can see, runs a great wide ravine. For two years of ceaseless effort, day and night, winter and summer, the army of workers, equipped with all the mechanical devices that the genius of man could devise, has been tearing into the heart of the land, and to-day the result of that relentless, irresistible "push" is witnessed in this great furrow that stretches from O'Brien's Bridge to Longpavement, marking the course of the new waterway that is to convey the water from the Shannon to the turbines at Ardnacrusha. To-day the canal, with the exception of a short stretch between Antigrove and Clonlara, is virtually complete. It is an impressive sight to see it, stretching like a great highway across the landscape, its gleaming bed of specially prepared stone, thirty yards wide, with banks sloping so that the width at the top is a hundred yards. High up along the banks, over a space covering the area of maximum low water and high water marks, is a layer of stone casing, as a protection against the erosive action of the water. This canal is in itself a triumph of engineering. It is the head race to the dam.

A NEW HIGHWAY.

At Blackwater, a couple of hundred yards above the Power Station, a handsome new bridge has been built across the head race. Built of ferro-concrete, with three fine spans, it will carry the new road which is being opened up to replace the old highway to Clonlara. It probably will be opened to traffic during the next fortnight.

It is on the site of the dam, however, that one encounters the outstanding demonstration of the amazing development which the summer months have witnessed. The engineers are content to say, "We are well up to schedule"; but let us see what that means.

THE BUILDING OF THE GREAT DAM.

Across the canal, rising from the solidity of its rocky foundation, has been erected the great dam which is to hold at bay the forces of the new waterway. By means of a cable crane swung over the canal between two steel towers two hundred yards apart, concrete has been dropped into positon from travelling skips, containing about a ton each, steadily and almost unceasingly for months past, until to-day the massive dam towers high above its foundations. It is one hundred and twenty yards wide, and when completed will rise to the level of the banks of the canal. Into it are set at regular intervals, like great portals, six embrasures to receive the pipes—

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ELECTRICIANS MAKE A PROTEST.

THE POWERS OF THE NEW BOARD.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LIMERICK, Wednesday.

Mr. William Hewat presided at the annual general meeting of the Electricity Supply Association of Ireland, held in Cruise's Royal Hotel, Limerick, to-night. There was a large attendance of members.

The annual report, which was read by Mr. L. J. Kettle, Hon. Secretary, stated that during the year which had passed events had taken place which very seriously affected the position of everyone engaged in the electricity supply industry in the Irish Free State. That was in consequence of the passing of the Electricity (Supply) Act of 1927. That Act aimed at, and certainly made possible, the complete nationalisation of electricity supply and the elimination of the existing undertakings, including all private enterprises. In some countries State schemes for the supply of electricity had been initiated, while in others centralisation and co-ordination had been established by Statute. In those countries, however, private enterprise remained, and was given every scope and encouragement, even where there was a State electricity supply, thus leaving privately or company-owned undertakings in the position of competing with municipal and Government undertakings.

EXAMPLE OF OTHER COUNTRIES

Where centralisation and co-ordination had been established, that had been confined to the generation and bulk supply of electricity, the aim being the economical utilisation of the resources of the country and the various supply stations of all kinds to the fullest extent. The Free State Electricity Act had gone very much further than that. Powers had been given to a Central Government Board to acquire and expropriate all the existing electricity supply undertakings, not only on the generating side, as in other countries, but also on the distributing side. The members of that Association should note that the powers conferred upon the Central Electricity Board included the following:—

POWERS OF THE BOARD.

(1) To compulsorily acquire the undertakings of all existing authorised undertakers. This power applied both to the generating and distribution portion of these undertakings. If an undertaking be compulsorily acquired, and if it belonged to a company, what was called a "fair price" would be paid. If the undertaking belonged to a public body no price would be paid.

(2) To take over and control any undertaking for a period of years, and afterwards return it to the undertaker or hand it to some new undertaker.

(3) To fix scales and rates of charge for electricity sold by any undertaking.

(4) To make rules and regulations regarding systems of supply and method of carrying out electrical work.

POSITION OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Under the Act it now became illegal for anyone to generate or supply electricity for sale, unless they already had statutory authority. Those undertakings which had no statutory authority—namely, the majority of the undertakings in this country—could apply for a permit to continue to supply electricity, and those permits would be granted so long as there was no alternative supply of electricity available. It was, therefore, essential that the non-statutory electricity supply undertakings should make application for permits if they desired to continue in the business of electricity supply.

The attitude of the Association had been one of serious apprehension as to the wisdom of placing so much power in the hands of any single board in the management and policy affecting the development of this highly technical business. It placed a responsibility on the Board which was very grave.

WILLING TO ASSIST.

It was in the interests of the Association that electricity supply should increase and prosper throughout the country. The Association would follow with close interest the work of the Central Board, and its members might be relied upon to assist the Central Board in any direction that tended to advance the business of the generation and distribution of cheap electricity throughout the country. In the opinion of the Association this could only be achieved by the

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HELPING THE INVENTOR.

NEW ACT BENEFITS FREE STATE.

BIG DEVELOPMENTS FORESHADOWED.

"I am certain that the Department of Industry and Commerce will be a revenue-earning department before Christmas to an extent that will surprise people unfamiliar with the inventions of the world."

This is the view of Sir George Croydon Marks, C.B.E., consulting engineer and patent expert, and senior partner of Marks and Clerk, reputed to be the largest firm of consulting engineers and patent agents in the world. He was referring to the effects of the passing of the Irish Free State Industrial and Commercial Property (Protection) Act of 1927, which relates to patents, designs and trade marks, and came into force on Saturday.

Interviewed by an *Irish Times* representative in Dublin yesterday, Sir George said: "I consider the possibilities of the Irish Free State patents so great that we have opened a branch office here, and equipped it with a staff to deal with patents and trade marks that will come from all parts of the world. I lived in Dublin myself some years ago, and am familiar with the possibilities of development in the Irish Free State, particularly when the cheap electrical power is available.

GOVERNMENT'S WISE ACTION.

"To develop the industries new inventions and new processes are indispensable, and, as the British patents ceased to be operative in December, 1921, the Irish Free State Government were wise in bringing in a bill that would create a self-contained Irish Free State Patents Act. The fees payable under this Act are more generous than in England.

"The encouragement that is being given to bring inventions here from all parts of the world should bring much revenue to the Irish Free State. My own firm have received instructions from all parts of the world to protect patents and trade marks in the Irish Free State. The only difficulty at the present time is that the Department which is housed in Merrion square, is not fully equipped to carry out its duties forthwith, but before the end of this month I imagine things will settle down.

TRIBUTE TO IRISH OFFICIALS.

"I have had considerable experience in America, and in every country in Europe, with patent office officials, and I have never found officials more polite, courteous and eager to help than those placed at the head of the Irish Free State Patent Office, under Mr. Bradley. They have a very difficult task to create a Civil Service with a number of inexperienced men to deal with technical matters, but they are not like some Government officials, who assume that they know everything.

"I foresee great developments in connection with the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, and I believe that Mr. Cosgrave's Government, or any Government in the Irish Free State, will have recognised very shortly, as America and other civilised nations have done, that the giving of a period of protection to those devising new processes and new inventions makes for the betterment of the industrial conditions of the country, and that the more liberality and the less restraint from official restrictions which is shown to those owning inventions, new processes and trade marks connected with goods that they wish to manufacture and distribute here, must mean the greater development, not only of industries, but of commerce generally in the Irish Free State."

Sir George Croydon Marks represented North Cornwall in Parliament from 1905 to 1924. He was a member of the Liberal Party, and spoke in Dublin and in Philadelphia with the late Mr. John E. Redmond and the late Major William Redmond, and in Chicago with Mr. T. P. O'Connor, in favour of Home Rule.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

LONDON AFFECTED BY NEW OUTBREAK.

A case of foot-and-mouth disease is reported at Enfield, Middlesex, according to a Ministry of Agriculture statement.

The usual restrictions have been imposed over a fifteen miles radius, which includes the whole of the City of London and the County of London north of the Thames. The Metropolitan Cattle Market in Caledonian road, North, will be closed for the sale of live cattle on Monday next until further notice. Cattle for slaughter will be admitted under licence.

The other outbreak notified yesterday was at Allerford, Selworthy, near Porlock, Somerset.

BASEBALL HOLDS UP TRAFFIC.

EXCITEMENT IN NEW YORK.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PITTSBURGH, Wednesday.

In the first game of "The World's Series," as the American baseball championship is called, the New York Yankees, the leading team of the American League, defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates, the premier team in the National League, by 5-4. The first side to win four games gains the coveted championship honours.

The excitement caused by the event throughout the whole of the United States is something quite peculiar to American psychology. Even the tremendous popular interest in the Dempsey-Tunney fight does not compare with the enthusiasm engendered by the "world" series.

In New York in particular excitement reached the fever point, the Yankees, in which the "Babe" Ruth is the star performer, being the home team. Crowds of many thousands blocked the traffic in the streets at every point where signs or loud speakers recorded the progress of the game. In Wall street brokers forsook their posts on the floor of the Exchange to bend over tape machines, while all cinema and theatrical performances were suspended at intervals to enable the scores to be announced.

CHINA'S CIVIL WAR.

ANOTHER NORTHERN RETREAT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PEKING, Wednesday.

It is reported here, and generally believed, that the Fengtien (Northern) troops are withdrawing from Paoting-fu, about one hundred miles south-west of Peking, on the Peking-Hankow line. It is understood that this retreat has been caused by the presence of a comparatively small force of Shansi troops, which is threatening Marshal Chang Tso-lin's line of communications.

JAPAN MAY SEND TROOPS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
TOKYO, Wednesday.

The spokesman of the War Office stated to-day that the Japanese Government was seriously considering the despatch of troops from Manchuria to Peking and Tientsin if the situation in the Chinese civil war became worse, and, in the meantime, it was closely watching developments.

HARMFUL EFFECT OF TARIFFS.

AUSTRALIAN BOARD'S REPORT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
CANBERRA, Wednesday.

In its report to the Federal Parliament the Australian Tariff Board states that the imposition of increased tariffs on certain classes of imports, which was intended to improve the position of Commonwealth industries, has simply resulted in stagnation, and that the effect of the duties has been to add to the costs of production and the cost of living.

The tariff is being used to bolster up industries, irrespective of the margin of difference between wages abroad and in the Commonwealth.

The Board expresses regret at being obliged to place on record the conclusion that there is a prevailing tendency to abuse the protective system, and declares its profound conviction that the leaders of the industrial unions of secondary and primary producers should recognise the serious menace of rising costs.

The report concludes: "The situation calls for the attention of all parties; otherwise nothing but disaster is ahead."

"THE SKY PILOT."

FIRST AEROPLANE FOR CHURCH WORK.

The first aeroplane to be used for missionary work will shortly be shipped to Australia. It is a "Moth" machine, to be flown by the Rev. Leonard Daniels, Rector of Wilcannia, New South Wales, a parish as large as England.

Hitherto it has been impossible, owing to the lack of road and rail communication, for him to visit all his parishioners, even in a twelvemonth. With the "Moth" he will be able to reach the furthest corner of his huge parish in a few hours, and thus many weeks of valuable time now consumed in cross-country travelling will be saved.

The funds for the purchase of the machine, which will also be used to carry medical assistance to scattered farms and homesteads, have been raised by collections during a six months' lecture tour which Mr. Daniels has made in England under the auspices of the Colonial and Continental Church Society.

The machine will be painted in silver, with purple struts, and will bear the words "Church of England" on its side.

Recently flying lessons have been taken by Mr. Daniels at the London Aeroplane Club. He is now on his way to Australia, and will go through a "refresher" course in Melbourne. In February next he flies to his headquarters at Wilcannia.

MURDERED POLICEMAN.

DAY AND NIGHT HUNT FOR THREE MEN.

It is nine days since Police Constable Gutteridge was found shot dead on the roadside at Stapleford Abbot, Essex, and, although Scotland Yard is practically certain of the identity of the constable's assailants, the three men who are "wanted" have so far evaded arrest.

Special C.I.D. officers, some of them entirely unknown to the criminal classes in London, have hunted for the men day and night.

It is the firm belief of the chief detective officers concerned that someone is sheltering the men in London, and that their arrest is only a question of time.

ANOTHER CHANNEL FAILURE.

MISS GLEITZE BEATEN BY THE WAVES.

Miss Mercedes Gleitze, the London typist, who entered the water at Cap Grisnez, at 12.30 a.m. yesterday, in her seventh attempt to swim the Channel, gave up at 9.30 a.m. She had been in the water nine hours, and was two and-a-half miles east-south-east of Varne lightship. A strong North-Easterly wind caused a rough sea, which eventually made her progress impossible. She swam for five hours with waves breaking over her. She returned to Folkestone yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Allen, her trainer, said: "It was the finest swim she has ever done. The waves were breaking in her face for five and a-half hours, and it was impossible for anybody to continue in that."

THE SPANISH PLOT.

PLAN TO ASSASSINATE KING AND QUEEN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
HENDAYE, Wednesday.

Travellers arriving from Spain give further details of the revolutionary plot which miscarried. All the Ministries remained open all night on September 30th, when it became known that a plot against the lives of the King and Queen had been discovered.

The police made a number of arrests, including Senor Le Zama, Chief Editor of the *Libertad*, and Senor Barristera, a former Republican deputy. Altogether forty arrests were made during the night.

Many bombs were seized. The conspirators apparently intended to throw bombs at their Majesties as they left the station. The police took great precautions in the neighbourhood of the station, and Their Majesties finally left in a closed car instead of an open one.

The ramifications of the plot and more depôts of explosives have been discovered in Algeciras, where it is believed that a second attempt was to have been made if the plot in Madrid failed.

POLICE ORDER ON THE RIVIERA.

UNDESIRABLE ALIENS TO BE EXPELLED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Wednesday.

The measures which have been taken by the police authorities on the Riviera for the strengthening of the supervision, and for the expulsion of undesirable aliens, are being methodically carried out.

Instructions have been issued for the immediate expulsion of all foreigners who are guilty of any breach of the peace, and the Prefect has been requested to give his personal attention to the matter.

THE BETTING ACT.

"SALOON" SYSTEM IN DUBLIN.

ALL-DAY LONG CROWDS OF BACKERS.

BY the terms of the Betting Act, 1926, the licences issued to bookmakers in the Irish Free State must be renewed by midnight on October 31st, a fact which explains the columns of notices of "intention to apply" which have been appearing in the newspapers recently.

The licences are issued on the certificate of the Superintendent of the Civic Guard for the district, who, to all intents and purposes, has the final word as to whether a bookmaker or a premises should be recognised by the law. There is provision for an appeal to the District Justice against the officer's refusal to issue a certificate, but that advantage to the applicant would seem to be more apparent than real.

In view of the enormous number of places where betting can be legally carried on it is of interest at the moment to consider the law as it provides for the issue of licences. It is laid down in the Act that the superintendent must be satisfied as to the character of the bookmaker, and also as to the suitability of the premises proposed to be used for betting. The personal good character of the applicant has to be vouched for by two Peace Commissioners, but the superintendent has only his own judgment to guide him to a decision whether or not the premises are suitable. There are ten grounds on which he can refuse a certificate of suitability. Most of those are simple matters of fact, easy of test, such as proximity to a place of worship, a school, a factory, an employment exchange and so on. One of them, however, is entirely a matter of the superintendent's own opinion.

He can refuse a certificate of suitability "if . . . . that at some time, while the applicant was the registered proprietor, the business of bookmaking had been conducted therein in a disorderly manner, or in such manner as to cause or encourage persons to congregate or loiter in large numbers in or outside the premises." The superintendent alone is to say what amouts to "large numbers" congregating in or about the premises.

BETTING OFFICE CROWDS.

Anyone who goes around Dublin with his eyes open can see that there is both "congregating" and "loitering" outside the places licensed for betting. When the racing season is in full swing the crowds at the betting offices often interfere with the ordinary progress of the vehicular traffic. Yesterday, which was a slack day in racing, our reporter, in a section of the North side of the city alone, saw within one hour in the afternoon, three instances of pedestrians having to step into the carriage way to pass by the betting office crowd.

The men who collected round the office door, with their whole attention centred on the racing papers in which their heads were buried, paid no heed to the ordinary sidewalk traffic.

The general public, who can see all that for themselves, do not know that inside those licensed premises are in many cases not betting offices where a person can make a bet and walk out again, but licensed betting saloons, where a crowd remains the whole afternoon of every day on which a race meeting is held anywhere.

THE NEW SYSTEM.

The system that has grown up in Dublin—and, for anything that we know to the contrary, in the provincial towns also—provides what is really a racecourse betting "ring" in dozens of streets, often in the poorest localities of the city. The bookmaker's clients flock in and remain there until the last race of the day. Just as on a racecourse the runners in the race—received by telephone—are chalked up on a blackboard and the bookmaker on his stand lays the odds. When the result of the race comes over the wire he pays out and proceeds to operate on the next race; and so on to the end of the day's card. He has a crowd around him all the time, who, as far as betting is concerned, are just as if they were on the actual racecourse. They are of all classes, but mostly working-class people, and the attendance of women is by no means unknown.

THE BETTING TAX IN ENGLAND.

BOOKMAKERS SUGGEST AN ALTERNATIVE.

An alternative scheme to the betting tax was discussed for over four hours in London yesterday at a conference of bookmakers and representatives of allied societies. Evolved by Mr. James M'Clean, a Glasgow bookmaker, its principle is:—Every starting-price bookmaker shall take out a licence of £200 a year, instead of £10 as at present. Every bookmaker shall pay 1 per cent. on his turnover, instead of 3½ per cent. as at present; course bookmakers in Tattersall's to pay the same.

Mr. James Sutters, a director of the Victoria Club, who discussed the matter with a Press representative yesterday, said:—The betting tax in its present form is impracticable, and, if bookmakers have to pay it for another year, most of them must inevitably retire from the business. Fortunately, an alternative has come to hand, and I have high hopes that it will be acceptable to both the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the bookmakers. Reputable bookmakers are doing their best to find a way out for the Chancellor. Mr. M'Clean's scheme has been intelligently thought out, and I am heartily in favour of it. The opposition will come from those who are evading the tax.

"The suggestion is that the £200 licence should be paid in quarterly instalments. That would not impose hardship on the man in the smaller way of business. The 1 per cent. tax would be fair to big and small bookmakers, and the effect of the £200 licence would be to keep out of the trade the men who evade the present tax."

JUDGE AND MINOR'S MONEY.

"We all know that when money is lodged in Court to the credit of a child, the father and mother never rest a minute until they get their hands on it, just as if it belonged to them," declared Judge Osborne, at Londonderry Equity Sessions during the hearing of an application made by Mr. John Tracy for payment of money out of Court.

LATE NEWS.

GERMAN ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

A WOMAN PASSENGER.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
BERLIN, Wednesday.

Such was the secrecy observed in regard to the Atlantic flight of the Junkers triple-engined monoplane, D1230, that it was not until after the departure from Norderney for Amsterdam that the presence of a woman passenger, Frau Lilly Dillenz, became known. She left again in the machine for Lisbon, but it is not quite certain whether she will accompany the three pilots and the mechanic on the further stages to the Azores, Newfoundland, and New York. Frau Dillenz, an Austrian actress, the wife of a Viennese architect, explained that she was not taking part in the flight out of any desire for notoriety, but because the means for her participation had been furnished by a number of Austrian patriots who wished impoverished Austria, which could not finance so costly an undertaking, at least to be represented in it. The formal notification of the flight by the Junkers Flugzeugwerke A.G. to the Ministry of Communications to-day clears up in a certain degree the mystery in which the scheme has deliberately been wrapped. It is now clear that the Junkers Company is, at any rate, largely interested, and is taking the formal responsibility, though one of the trans-Atlantic shipping companies is understood to be co-operating. The Severa A.G., which, as an experimental institution, is particularly interested in the technical side of the flight, provided most of the scientific equipment.

The Junkers Company has also informed the Committee controlling the prize of 100,000 marks offered for the first German flight across the Atlantic that the D1230 is competing. When this prize was offered through the Aero Club and the Aeronautical Institution, it was explained that the anonymous donor wished to encourage not purely sporting efforts, but a flight exhibiting the possibilities of a trans-Atlantic passenger service. One of the conditions was the use of a multi-engined machine, unless a seaplane were used, in which case a single engine would be permitted. The D1230 is a passenger aeroplane of the G24 type, with floats substituted for the usual landing wheels.

AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER.

MR. BRUCE'S STATEMENT.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
CANBERRA, Wednesday.

In the House of Representatives Mr. Blakeley, a Labour member, asked Mr. Bruce, the Commonwealth Prime Minister, whether he had had the report of certain utterances by Sir Granville Ryrie, the High Commissioner for Australia in London, and whether he would instruct the High Commissioner to maintain the high traditions of his office and cease meddling in party politics.

Mr. Bruce replied that he had seen reports of certain utterances. The Ministry recognised that the High Commissioner was in a position in which he had no party, but represented all Australia. He had already communicated with Sir Granville Ryrie to ascertain whether the reports were correct, but he was sure that the High Commissioner would not knowingly make statements which would give offence.

GENERAL GOMEZ EXECUTED.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN MEXICO CITY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The Mexican Consulate General is informed that General Gomez, one of the candidates for the Presidency of the Republic, who is alleged to have been implicated in the recent revolt of Federal troops, has been captured in the State of Vera Cruz, and executed.

[Note.—The other opposition candidate for the Presidency, General Serrano, has already been captured and executed.]

THE RIOTING IN THE CAPITAL.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NOGALES (ARIZONA), Wednesday.

According to a message from Mexico City, which has been received here, serious rioting occurred yesterday in the Mexican capital, in which several persons were killed and many were injured.

No further details are available up to the present.

EMPIRE NAVAL DEFENCE.

QUESTION OF SUPPORT FROM DOMINIONS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
CAPE TOWN, Wednesday.

At to-day's meeting of the Empire Chamber of Commerce, Mr. J. Graham, Belleville, Canada, moved a resolution—"That for the protection of the lives and property of British citizens, the Empire's naval strength and standards should be maintained, and that, with this object in view, all the self-governing Dominions of the British Empire should contribute equitably and proportionately to the national naval defence."

The resolution was carried unanimously, amid applause.

The question of emigration was next considered by the Congress, and the Belleville Chamber of Commerce put forward a resolution recommending "that migration between the Motherland and the British Dominions, Crown Colonies and Protectorates, should be generously encouraged and supported by all our Governments, by liberal grants, by propaganda and by the removal of restrictions, and that every Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade throughout the Empire should be a Colonisation Bureau."

Sir Edward Dawson moved an amendment to delete the second part of the resolution, after the word "Governments," and to insert instead: "that the Congress expresses appreciation of the work being done by the Government organisations in the United Kingdom and Dominions in relation to overseas settlement, and urges on all concerned the need for giving continued attention to this matter."

Sir Edward expressed the view that there were already enough organisations dealing with the question of immigration.

The resolution in its amended form was unanimously carried.

OBITUARY.

MR. G. W. TALBOT.

The death took place suddenly in London yesterday of Mr. George Washington Talbot, who for forthy years was on the editorial staff of the *Morning Advertiser*, succeeding Mr. H. Hamilton-Fyfe as editor in 1904. Mr. Talbot held the position until 1914. Since then he served as leader writer on the paper. Mr. Talbot left his home, The Cottage, Gunnersbury Park, yesterday morning, but was taken ill at Victoria Station. He was removed to Westminster Hospital in an unconscious condition, and died at 7.30 last night.

Mr. Talbot was the son of Mr. Henry William Talbot, a newspaper proprietor, and was born in 1848, at Blackrock, Co. Dublin. He was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and becoming a journalist, he was proprietor of a newspaper in Queen's County. There he and his wife were shot at when driving home one evening, and he then decided to sell his property and live in London.

CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

PREMIER'S REVIEW TO-DAY.

REFORM OF HOUSE OF LORDS.

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
CARDIFF, Wednesday.

I understand that Mr. Baldwin's speech to the delegates to the annual Conference of the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associations, which opens here to-morrow, is to be a complete survey of the main political problems of the day. He will speak for an hour in the evening, and in that time will deal with the House of Lords reform, the granting of votes to women at twenty-one, agriculture, unemployment, and peace in industry.

Most of these matters will have been debated earlier in the day at the Conference, and Mr. Baldwin's speech will be in the nature of a reply to the debate.

I am informed that the Prime Minister will not promise any very drastic reform of the House of Lords, but will not, on the other hand, announce the dropping of all attempts at reform. He will make it clear that the Government is determined to press on with its proposals to give the vote to women at twenty-one on the same terms as men, and can accept no compromise on this point. A few words of comfort for the farmers are expected, and I learn that the Prime Minister will also make a strong plea for a period of peace in industry.

There will be 2,500 delegates at the Conference, and Lord Eustace Percy, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, Mr. Walter Guinness, and, possibly, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, will be the members of the Cabinet in attendance. Great importance attaches to the speech to be delivered by Mr. Guinness, in reply to the expected criticisms of the Government's agricultural policy. Several resolutions on agriculture are to be discussed, and a portion of the Premier's speech will be given up to a defence of the Government's attitude towards the agricultural industry.

CHANGE PROBABLE IN THE NORTH.

M.P.'S URGED TO TAKE THEIR SEATS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Wednesday.

When the Northern Parliament reassembles on the 11th inst. it is probable that there will be a considerable increase in the Nationalist Party, led by Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P.

At present there are only five Nationalist members in the House of Commons—Messrs. Devlin, M'Allister, O'Neill, Leeke and M'Guckin. Since the entry of Mr. de Valera's party into the Dail there has been a growing feeling among the Nationalists in the two border Counties of Tyrone and Fermanagh that their representatives should take their seats in the Northern Parliament.

Conferences have been held in both counties, and it is understood that the majority of the delegates at these conferences have decided to send forward a recommendation to a joint meeting of Fermanagh and Tyrone delegates that the members should take their seats.

At similar conferences a few years ago it was decided that the Tyrone and Fermanagh members should not sit, although the Nationalist members from Derry, Antrim and Down took their seats.

In view of the altered state of opinion it is quite probable that in the near future the Nationalist Party in the Northern Parliament will be strengthened by the addition of Messrs. Cahir Healy (Enniskillen), J. M'Hugh (Pettigo), A. E. Donnelly (Omagh), and T. J. S. Harbison (Cookstown). At present the Nationalist Party is the second largest in the House, and with the additions its right to the position of official Opposition will be unquestioned.

It is not known if Mr. de Valera (Down) and Mr. E. Donnelly (Armagh) will take their seats in the Northern Parliament, but this is not regarded as likely in the immediate future.

SIX TO ONE IN FAVOUR OF ENTERING.

Our Enniskillen Correspondent writes: A conference of representatives of the Roman Catholic parishes in Fermanagh has been held to consider the question of the members of Parliament for Tyrone and Fermanagh entering the Northern Parliament. The meeting was summoned by a circular issued by Archdeacon Tierney, Enniskillen, which was read after Mass at the various churches on Sunday.

Among those present at the conference was Mr. John M'Hugh, M.P., Puttigo; but so far as I could see Mr. Cahir Healy, M.P., was not in attendance. Nationalist County Councillors were also summoned, but all did not attend. Mr. James Rogers, a County Councillor, appealed strongly for the abolition of the policy of abstention.

After much discussion it was decided by 29 votes to 5 that the members of Parliament should take their seats, but that before the matter was settled finally the Fermanagh delegates should sit in conference with the Tyrone delegates, so that a joint decision might be reached.

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ENGLAND'S COAL MINES.

LABOUR PARTY OUT FOR NATIONALISATION.

MR. R. MACDONALD'S SPEECH.

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BLACKPOOL, Wednesday.

The political policy of the Labour movement on the future of the mining industry was laid down at the resumed annual Conference of the Labour Party at Blackpool to-day. The Executive's resolution, which outlined a number of proposals for reorganisation, received the benediction of the Miners' Federation, and was warmly supported by the miners' President, Mr. Herbert Smith, who made it clear that the Federation had faith in the Labour Party and attached more importance to political action than to the industrial weapon.

THE RESOLUTION.

The resolution, which was signed by Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, M.P.; Mr. Herbert Smith and Mr. A. Gossip, deplored the disastrous condition into which the mining industry had fallen as a result of the Government's "lamentable surrender" to the mine-owners last year, and the absence of any constructive policy on the part of the Government or the owners. It reaffirmed the party's belief in the nationalisation of mines, the development of coal treatment, and the organisation of distributive processes, as essential to the prosperity of the industry and the workers in it; and called for the repeal of the Eight Hours Act and the regulation of the supply of labour in the mining industry by

(1) Raising the school-leaving age to fifteen, or preferably sixteen, with the provision of the necessary maintenance allowances and preparatory training for other forms of employment;

(2) The suspension of recruitment of adult labour from outside the industry, and the transfer of unemployed miners under proper arrangements to areas where there is a demand for mine workers; and

(3) Superannuation allowances for mine workers of sixty years and upwards, to be provided partly by a levy on coal royalties and partly out of the future proceeds of the industry.

The resolution also asked for adequate provision on national lines, without recourse to the Poor Law and local rates, for the maintenance of those for whom work is not available; compulsory grouping and amalgamation of mines so as to secure the advantages of unification; the establishment of a selling agency on every coalfield, either by the State or by public utility societies; and legislation to enable local authorities to undertake the sale of coal.

NATIONALISATION.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, moving the resolution, said that they had been informed that it was a practical one, and apparently there was some surprise that this should be so. From the beginning of the mining crisis every practical proposal that had been put up for dealing with it had emanated either from the Miners' Federation or from the Labour Party.

"What we say is," he declared, "that if a Labour Government comes into office it is going to take upon itself the duty of nationalising the mines. (Cheers.) Pending that, it is not our duty, it is not our privilege, to stand by and see one of the most important of our basic industries going to rack and ruin on account of the mismanagement of the owners, and their neglect of the men and women employed in it.

The one thing that had controlled the ideas and policy of the bulk of the mine-owners was profit from the beginning to the end. (Cheers.) They had regarded housing conditions, working conditions, health conditions, conveniences, such as baths, etc., as being something they had practically nothing to do with, until to-day the whole social condition of the miner and his family was an absolute disgrace to our Christian sentiment and moral aspirations.

"The resolution makes reflections on this Government. I confess that after our period of office in 1924 I did feel that if we had about ten or twelve years of government of men of fair minds—men with whom we did not agree, perhaps, but men who were fair and honourable and upright, and who put their sense of decency into the common pool—we might turn the corner and create new landscapes ahead of us.

"IN OWNERS' POCKETS."

"I was in last year's negotiations, and my mind is far narrower than it was two years ago. I am compelled to admit against what I had hoped, that there is bitterness and steely hardness behind velvet gloves. (Cheers.) They can talk as beautifully as they like. They can round their phrases and put glowing tints to their oratory, but when it comes to business you find that this Government is in the pockets of the owners. (Cheers.)

"Again and again last year we went to them asking them just to keep their heads. Again and again we were rebuffed and thrown back. We asked for nothing but a fair attitude of mind. I have tried them and experimented with them. One of our friends said last year that we were on our knees grovelling to the Government. We are going to let bygones be bygones in that respect. When I see there is a great crisis like that, and I see the clouds rolling up and threatening to break on our movement with terrible destruction, if I can get accommodation by going on my knees I will do so, and while I am there I shall have no feeling that I am forfeiting my self-respect or my independence, but that I am doing it in order to save the men who have been my colleagues for a generation in this fight. (Cheers.)

"This has been done not theoretically, and as a result I have to confess this morning that I am disillusioned. We will get what we can take. We will keep what we can hold, and that is the meaning of this resolution. (Renewed cheers.) I want to say to my mining friends that we have got a big fight yet. You have been through it, God knows, but you have not come to the end. We are going to stand shoulder to shoulder all the time, and the fight is not only going to be against the owners, but against conditions. We are up against it, and we are going to give you not only our tongues and sympathy, but what little brains we have got to work out the best policies, and to find out the best methods of exploring the situation."

MR. HERBERT SMITH.

"I think that Mr. Macdonald has made it quite clear that there is no retreat on nationalisation," said Mr. Herbert Smith, the Miners' Federation President, seconding the resolution. "I appeal to you not only to pass the resolution, but to let bygones be bygones and to stand four square, because many industries are affected by the miners' conditions. The miners know that if there is salvation for them at all it must come from returning a Labour Government that understands the economic conditions of the country generally."

The resolution was passed.

UNEMPLOYMENT.

Mr. J. R. Clynes, M.P., introduced the subject of unemployment, and moved a resolution which protested against the continued neglect of the problem by the Government and its "complete disregard" of the condition of large numbers of the people.

The resolution, which was criticised by some delegates who thought it did not go far enough, was carried with very few dissentients.

BIRTH CONTROL.

The controversial issue of birth control was raised by Mrs. Helen Pease, of Cambridge, who moved the reference back of the Executive's declaration that the subject was not one which should be made a political party issue.

Miss B. Quinn (Tailors and Garment Workers) caused an uproar when she said that she opposed the motion as a member of an Irish Catholic family. It was sought to give this teaching out of public funds, which included Catholic funds.

Mr. Jack Jones, M.P., said that he objected to this proposal being put in the political programme of the Labour Party.

Mr. Jones next made a remark which created an uproar.

Mr. A. J. Cook, rushing down the gangway to the platform, shouted, "He is a fool. He is the fool of the Labour Party. I ask you to demand the withdrawal of that remark. He is a perfect fool."

There were loud cries of "chair," and the Conference was in a turmoil, delegates rising and shouting in all parts of the hall.

The Chairman, banging his mallet, en-

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SHANNON ACTIVITY.

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twenty feet in diameter—which are to feed the water from the head race into the turbines. There is a slight dip in the floor of the head race for the last fifty yards, so as to give the water additional impetus. Between the pipes the dam will be built up on great pillars of specially constructed ferro-concrete.

High up on the face of the dam the workmen are well ahead with the task of building the wooden casings for the reception of the great pipes. Even in its present rough state, with about a third of its bulk to be added, the dam presents an impressive sight, suggesting a dour, impregnable fortress, capable of resisting all attacks.

PENETRATING THE SOLID ROCK.

Back of the dam is the site of the Power Station, and, to secure the necessary one-hundred-foot vertical drop from the mouths of the pipes to the turbines, an immense amount of boring and blasting of the rocky foundation has had to be accomplished.

Standing on the top of the dam, one looked down into the deep excavation, where, far below, the workmen looked like pygmies and the engines and cranes like toy models. Deep down into bedrock ate the electric drills, boring holes, into which were packed charges of ammonite—a high explosive which, on discharge, shattered the rock with a peculiar lateral effect, rendering comparatively easy the task of those amazing steam shovels which tore the loosened stone from its bed in great gulps of half a ton at a time. The broken rock was loaded into waiting trucks, which were borne away by squat powerful engines, which scurried away to deposit their loads and hurry back for more.

BRINGING THE WATER BACK TO THE SHANNON.

So the task goes on ceaselessly in this last lap of opening up the tail race. Away to the south-west one can follow the broad track of that channel to Longpavement, where their allotted task completed, the waters of the canal will rejoin the Shannon and continue on to the ocean.

At one side of the dam the excavations have been made also for the navigation locks, and the work of cutting out that short passage to where the navigation channel joins the tail race is also well ahead. One mile-long from station to river, it has been necessary to cut through rock all the way, so that for months it is the country around has re-echoed to the heavy detonations of the explosive charges shattering the rocky way.

FOUR THOUSAND IRISHMEN EMPLOYED.

All this has been the task of a great army of workers, whose numbers have been reinforced during this last push. At the moment there are working on the scheme over all areas 3,000 Irish workers of what is called the unskilled class—though, to my mind, the work is the direct opposite of unskilled. In addition, there are fifteen joiners, carpenters, fitters and other skilled mechanics and artisans. To swell the total must be included 500 German skilled workers.

To their assistance in the work have been brought all the mechanically-controlled devices that engineering genius has perfected. The operations of the great steam shovels and boreing machines have been referred to. When they have prepared the way along comes the concrete work.

The part played by the cable crane has been mentioned, but one must see that great crane in operation to appreciate its utility. It is controlled by an engineer perched in an enclosed cage high up on one of the towers, who, with a lever, directs the flight of the skips and the mobility of the two great steel towers, which glide with astonishing ease on special tracks. The skips are fed with the concrete aggregate, which, after passing through the stone crushers—great electric-driven machines, which crush huge boulders, sift and wash them all the day round, and keep feeding the output to the mixer, where cement is also added from the silo and the concrete aggregate turned out.

NOT AN IDLE HOUR, DAY OR NIGHT.

The work never ceases. The army of workers is divided into two shifts—day and night. The routine is as follows—The day shift starts in at 7.30 a.m., and works until 6.30 p.m., with one hour break for dinner, from 12.30 to 1.30. That hour is availed of by the blasting parties for the explosion of the charges embedded in the rock. At 6.30 p.m. there are more blasting operations, and at 7.30 the night shift starts, and works until 6.30 a.m., with a break from 12.30 till 1.30 a.m. for food, during which again the blasting parties get to work.

All day long visitors from all parts are calling at the works. Permits are necessary to pass through the lines, but there seems to be no great difficulty in obtaining these. At the works one experienced everywhere the greatest courtesy from the engineers, and all the hands were ever ready to answer questions and explain the operation of the great scheme.

"THE PRIEST'S CURSE."

A KERRY FISHING STORY.

The Rev. J. C. Mansfield, Rector of Bridwell, Salome, Oxford, tells a remarkable fishing story in a letter to *The Times*.

"On the last Saturday of June, 1896," he writes, "I got a day's fishing from the late Richard Mahony, Esq., J.P., of Dromore Castle, Kenmare, on the famous trout lake, Lough Brinn. Although it was 16 miles away, I was in the boat fishing at 7.45 a.m. Dan Breen, who is still alive, was my boatman. The 'take' was wonderful. At 9.30 a.m. I hooked a great fish. I had only a very light trout-rod and the finest drawn gut, but largely owing to the skill of Breen I succeeded in tiring the fish. I had neither gaff nor landing-net, and the shore was weedy, so I could not strand him. I played the fish slowly to the other end of the lake, nearly a mile away. We called a peasant, Breen's brother, who was pulling bitter on the mountain side, and he brought a peat basket which he was using. I told him to walk into the water and sink the basket and then keep perfectly still. After many attempts I succeeded in floating the fish over the basket, which Breen then raised and we landed the fish. It turned out to be a salmon, about 5½lb. in weight.

"Now, the remarkable thing about this capture was that this was the first salmon ever caught or seen in this lake. The Blackwater, which flows out of it, is one of the best salmon rivers in Kerry. The peasantry state that far back in the past a priest was summoned to attend a member of his flock who was dying. The priest had to cross the river as it leaves the lake. The salmon were passing in such numbers that the horse fell and threw the priest into the river, and that he, in anger at the salmon's behaviour, cursed them, saying no salmon were ever again to enter the lake. Some years after a carruleus Killarney guide told me as one of his 'stock stories' about the priest and the breaking of the spell. His face was a picture when I said, 'I, a parson, am the man who broke it.' I hear that salmon now freely enter the lake, and are caught. The second was caught by Lord Ventry. My bag on that day was over 13 dozen, including seven sea trout and the famous salmon. I was so exhausted that I gave up fishing at 5 p.m. although the fish were taking madly then."

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deavoured in vain to make himself heard and to restore order. Amid the din Mr. Jones defiantly faced the delegates from the speakers' platform. He shouted, "I will not."

The Chairman—Personally, I am not aware of the observation made by Mr. Jones.

Mr. Jones—I will put it right in a moment if I said anything wrong I will withdraw it.

There were cries of "That is not good enough."

Mr. Jones—I am not going to be bullied. They cannot muzzle me in the House of Commons, and you will not muzzle me here. I withdraw any offensive remark that somebody imagines I have made.

While a card vote was being taken a crowd of delegates started to sing "England Arise," and the Chairman, catching the spirit of the moment, led the Conference in the rest of the refrain, keeping time with his mallet.

The reference back was defeated by 2,885,000 votes to 275,000. The Conference adjourned.

MISSING GIRL FOUND STRANGLED.

INDICATIONS OF FIERCE STRUGGLE.

POLICE SEARCH FOR MOTOR MECHANIC.

Constance Gertrude Oliver, a typist, aged 21, of Falcon Grove, Battersea, who had been missing from her home since Sunday last, was found dead in the bushes at Richmond Park, Surrey, yesterday. She had been strangled apparently with portion of her clothing, and there was evidence that she had fought fiercely for her life.

The discovery was made by a park-keeper on his morning round. He was passing a lonely spot near Robin Hood Gate, when through the mist he saw what he thought was a fallen deer lying in the bushes. Closer inspection revealed the body of a girl, smartly dressed in a light fawn coat, flesh-coloured stockings and beige shoes. Her arms were doubled up in front of her face, which was bruised, and a broken umbrella near by indicated the desperate nature of the struggle that had taken place.

The whole left sleeve and the bottom of the right sleeve were torn away from her coat, and her hair slide was found some distance from the body.

Detectives, searching the surrounding bracken, afterwards found a woman's handbag. This gave the first hint of the girl's identity, and it was established definitely when her mother was summoned to Richmond.

Mrs. Oliver, it is understood, reported her daughter's disappearance to the police on Tuesday night.

Scotland Yard detectives, under Chief Constable Wensley, yesterday spent over an hour examining the bracken and grass before ordering the removal of the body in a motor car. The condition of the body suggested that death had taken place on Tuesday night, or possibly before then. A *post-mortem* examination was carried out at Kingston Mortuary yesterday.

SISTER'S STATEMENTS.

Mrs. Steele, of Battersea, a sister of Miss Oliver, told a Press Association representative that Miss Oliver would have been twenty-two in February. "Less than a fortnight ago she made the acquaintance of a man," said Mrs. Steele. "She went out with him twice. Last Thursday he came round to my place and asked if I would send round one of my sons to ask Connie to come and see him. I told him to go round himself. He went round, and Connie came back with him, and they stopped at my place until ten o'clock. He was to come over for her on Sunday night if he could leave his work, but I do not, she was to go to Putney to meet him. He did not come over, so Connie went to Putney, and that was the last we saw of her."

THE INQUEST.

Last night it was stated officially that the inquest on Miss Oliver will not be held until next week, probably on Tuesday or Wednesday. The police believe that Miss Oliver's assailant drove her into the park in a motor cycle combination.

MAN WANTED BY POLICE.

A statement issued last night from Scotland Yard says:—"The police are anxious to trace and interview Sidney Bernard Goulter, aged 25?, height, 5ft. 7ins.; complexion fresh, hair fair, over two moles on right side of nose, one on left side of mouth, one on chin, one on back of neck, scar on back of right thumb; medium build, respectably dressed; a motor mechanic. The man resided with his parents at No. 24 Bockhampton road, Kingston-on-Thames, up to Saturday, 1st October."

A man has been detained in connection with the affair.

NEW LONDON PLAYS.

"PAUL I." AT THE COURT THEATRE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON Wednesday.

"Paul I." produced at the Court Theatre by Mr. Komisarjevsky, has been adapted by John Alford and J. C. Dale from the original by D. Merejkovsky. The action takes place at St. Petersburg in the year 1801, and the story deals with the plot to dethrone the Tsar, Paul I., and put his son, Prince Alexander, in his place. The crafty Count Pahlen influences the characters to suit his own ambitions, fostering the half-mad Tsar's suspicions against his family, and, while swearing his faithfulness to the Tsar, is actually doing everything in his power to bring about the revolution, and compels the young prince to sign a document proclaiming himself Emperor.

We see him compelling the drunken, half-reluctant officers to go into the Castle of St. Michael and demand Paul's abdication. The Tsar refuses with anger and scorn, but is strangled, and young Alexander is acclaimed.

The story is developed in a straightforward manner, and is very well acted by Mr. George Reeves as Paul I. Mr. Hayes has an impressive bearing and a singularly attractive voice, which he uses to advantage. Mr. Charles Laughton contributes a clever character study of the unscrupulous count, and Miss Lydia Sherbrooke looked and acted charmingly as one of the princesses. The costumes are picturesque, and the settings are beautiful and correct in detail.

"THEIR WIFE" AT THE LITTLE.

There is nothing original in the theme of Frank Stayton's new play, "Their Wife," which was produced at the Little Theatre. It describes how a widow, whose three husbands all presumably died abroad, each leaving her an income of £1,500 a year, is on the point of making a fourth marriage with a General, when the three husbands turn up in the wrong sequence. Her delight when the third husband returns is changed to bewilderment when the second puts in an appearance, and to positive annoyance when the first comes on the scene.

The lady temporarily retires to a nursing home, where she immediately starts a flirtation with the doctor. Husband No. 1 solves her problem by killing himself while experimenting with a bomb, thus leaving the other two husbands free to depart with their offspring, and the lady at liberty to pursue the doctor.

The first two acts of this farce are not without humour, and one is inclined to overlook the hackneyed plot, but the third act peters out very badly, and not even Miss Athene Seyler's brilliance could save it from becoming wearisome.

Mr. Nigel Playfair, who is also in the cast, has produced the piece in that highly finished manner one has come to associate with all his productions. The husbands are played by Mr. Leslie Banks, Mr. Ernest Thesiger, and Mr. Wallace Evenett.

NOVEL ARSON CHARGE.

CORK MAN'S MARRIAGE DISAPPOINTMENT.

Remarkable charges, to which a man named Michael Walsh pleaded guilty at Cork Criminal Court yesterday, accused him of setting fire to a dwelling-house owned by Patrick O'Sullivan, 9 Harbour row, Queenstown, by strewing the back door with spirit and lighting the spirit through the letter box of the house, in which were Kathleen Flynn and Hannah O'Connell, and attempting to set fire to the dwelling-house of Patrick O'Sullivan, 33 Harbour row, Queenstown, by placing grease and lighting paper in the letter box. O'Sullivan and his wife being then in the house.

It was all due to drink and the sense of his disappointment over the breaking off by O'Sullivan of a marriage arranged between the defendant and O'Sullivan's daughter, said counsel for the defence. Walsh for a number of years had been one of the Cork Harbour pilots, and after his wife died in 1925 negotiations had been going on for a suitable match with O'Sullivan's daughter, who had written to him intimating that she would do all that he could for him. As to the extent of the damage, it was virtually nothing, and the landlord did not intend to claim in respect of it.

Mr. Justice Kenny directed the accused man to enter into recognisances in £10 to keep the peace for twelve months.

PROVINCIAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

At the last examination 7 appointments, with first place, were gained by pupils of Rossa College, Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

ELECTRICIANS MAKE A PROTEST.

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adoption of principles and methods that had been tried and had proved to be sound.

During the year seven members had joined the Association. No new electricity works had been started, but, notwithstanding the condition of general depression in agriculture and other industries, and the atmosphere of uncertainty prevailing owing to pending legislation, progress had been made, especially in the field of domestic electricity supply, by many of the established undertakings.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, said that any question of controversy as regards the Shannon scheme on such had disappeared long ago. As regards the second bill dealing with distribution they were very strongly of opinion that the measure introduced in the Dail was an iniquitous measure for any Government to put forward. He considered that it was still unjust when it left the Dail. Their association had been formed some years ago with the idea of combining the different undertakings in an effort to improve the position of electricity throughout the Free State from the very backward state it was in at the time.

That the industry in the Free State was in a backward condition was not due to those engaged in it, but to lack of opportunity to develop, the various other handicaps including lack of finance. They did not want any controversy as to the attitude of the Government towards the association, except to comment. As they represented practically every undertaking dealing with electricity one would have imagined that any Government undertaking a huge development like the Shannon scheme would have requested their co-operation.

TREATED 3 PARIAHS.

What actually happened was that the association and its members had been treated as pariahs. Under the present Act all their undertakings could be put out of existence. He did not think that was the intention, but the newly-created Board were being given considerable powers. He would like to say to the Board, on behalf of the Association, that any service or help, anything they could do collectively or individually to further the scheme, which was now a national one, they would do gladly. (Hear, hear.) They should be in a position to give very important help and assistance, and might he express the wish that the new Board, when it began to work, would recognise the assistance the association could be to them, and would recognise that the men who had built up the industry and were engaged in it, were entitled to reasonable consideration.

Speaking personally—but he thought that in doing so he was expressing their views—he felt that the development of the Shannon scheme would depend considerably on the good-will of the undertakings already existing if they were to achieve the speedy success which they hoped for when the scheme was in a position to deliver electricity. The new Board would have a great responsibility, and they would find that they would achieve more through good-will than by any bludgeoning methods they could adopt.

The motion was seconded by Colonel F. A Cortez Leigh, L.M.S. Railway, and adopted unanimously.

In connection with electricity supply propaganda, Mr. Kettle said that the aim should be not only to increase the number of electricity consumers, but also to increase substantially the amount of electricity used by each consumer. The programme of the Electrical Development Association would seem to provide an obvious headline for that association, and co-operation as far as possible in that programme would appear to be very useful work. The programme in question provided for activities such as the holding of "electrical" luncheons, the formation of a lecture panel for the delivery of lectures, the holding of an "electric week" in various centres, and an advertising campaign, in which the E.D.A. supply authorities, manufacturers, and so on would co-operate.

It was decided to leave the matter of publicity in the hands of the Committee.

Several members asked for guidance as to the action of non-statutory undertakings, and it was agreed that proprietors of these undertakings would be acting in their own best interest if they at once supplied the information asked for in the recent advertisement by the Commissioners and stand by the Association as a protective body.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers and Council were re-elected for the year 1927-1928:—President, William Hewat, Dublin Port and Docks Board; Vice-President, G. Marshall Harriss, Dublin United Tramways Co.

Members of Council—Major John Alexander, Carlow Electric Supply Co.; Gilbert Archer, Dublin Corporation Electricity Department; G. J. Cantwell, Listowel Electric Light and Power Company, Killorglin Electric Light and Power Co., Ltd., etc.; Raymond Fry, Greystones Electric Light and Power Co., Ltd.; Commissioner P. J. Hernon, Dublin Corporation Electricity Department; Alderman W. Ireland, Rathmines Urban District Council; J. A. Kenny, Dungarvan Electric Light and Power Co., etc.; Major Myles, Electric Supply Works, Ballyshannon; H. H. Nalder, Cork Electric Tramways and Lighting Co., Ltd.; F. H. R. Prior, Pembroke Urban District Council Electricity Department; Wm. A. Ryan, Kerry Electric Supply Co., Killarney; W. J. N. Sowter, Bray Urban District Council Electricity Department; P. A. Spalding, Dundalk Urban District Council Electricity Department; R. Tanham, Dublin United Tramways Co.; Mr. Grant, Limerick.

Hon. Treasurer—C. F. Pilditch, Rathmines Urban District Council Electricity Department.

Hon. Solicitor—Frederick R. Crosker.

Hon. Secretary—J. Kettle.

THE ANNUAL DINNER.

After the general meeting the members of the association were received by the Mayor of Limerick (Alderman Clancy), and then sat down to the annual dinner.

Mr. Hewat presided, and there was a large gathering, amongst the guests being Dr. Sotheman, Government Adviser to the Shannon Scheme; Herr Msillar Dubrow, managing director, and Herr Baurat Droseler, of the Siemens-Schuckert Company, in charge of the Shannon Scheme works.

In proposing the toast, "Prosperity to Ireland," Mr. Hewat said that he did not think they could have come to a better place than Limerick to demonstrate that the prosperity of the country was and must be linked up with the individual efforts of the people themselves. By the courtesy of the directors they were, the following day, going on a visit to the works on the Shannon Scheme. Whatever controversies there might have been at the beginning, there could be no difference of opinion now as to the magnitude of that work or as to the way in which it was being done. The great thing for all of their men was to realise that the work was only a means to an end.

The carrying out and development of the scheme must be of considerable importance, not only to people interested in electricity, but to every individual in the Free State. What seemed to him the great and urgent thing at the present time was that all controversies should cease, and that a feeling of stability should be fostered and generated, so that the work of building up the country might go ahead. (Applause.)

"A MAGNIFICENT ACT OF FAITH."

In responding, Mr. Justice Flood said that few things gave greater hope of the future prosperity of Ireland than the Shannon scheme. As a layman, it seemed to him a very courageous act on the part of the Irish native Government. It was a magnificent act of faith and hope in their country, and he knew from personal experience that it was so regarded abroad. Nothing was more calculated to impress the world as an investor in Irish industry, than the confidence in their country shown by the Government in the Shannon undertaking.

Alderman Clancy, Mayor of Limerick, gave the toast of "The Electricity Supply Association."

Dr. P. W. Sothmann, Government Electrical Adviser on the Shannon scheme, replying to the toast, said national hydro-electric schemes had been a success everywhere else, and it would be a shame if it was allowed to fail here. The Shannon works were the masterpiece of his firm. They had introduced into them every modern improvement procurable in the last couple of months. The success would be the glue that would solidify into the unity of North and South in Ireland.

Mr. W. A. Ryan, Kerry, said he had been doubtful about the success of rural electrification until a recent visit to Chester, where he saw a rural electrification plant working successfully. The farmers there told him that the cost of electricity was nothing compared to the saving in their wages bills. If rural electrification was a success in Chester, there was no reason why it should not be a success in Ireland.

IRISH ROTARIANS.

WHERE NORTH AND SOUTH COMBINE.

There was a pleasant gathering of Rotarians last evening at the Grand Hotel, Greystones, County Wicklow. They numbered about 120, and there were many ladies in the company. The occasion was the second conference of District No. 14 (Ireland), and there were present representatives of the Dublin, Belfast, Londonderry and Cork Clubs.

The chief visitors were Dr. Thomas Stephenson, of Edinburgh, President of Rotary International, Great Britain and Ireland; Mr. Walter Malcolm, past Chairman of the Irish District Council, and past President of the Belfast Club; Mr. John J. Horgan, President of the Cork Club; Mr. W. Sweeney, President of the Belfast Club; Mrs T. Sutton, Mexico; Alderman Oswald Jamison, ex-High Sheriff, Belfast; Mr. J. J. Edie, Londonderry; Dr. J. N. McLaughlin, do.; Mrs Vivian Carter, London; Mr. D. R. Wheatley, Belfast; Mr. Charles E. White, do.; Dr. O. Little, Vice-President of the Belfast Club; Mr. L. Smith-Gordon, Vice-President of the Dublin Club; Mr. F. Thompson, and Mr. Lester, Cork.

PROMOTING FRIENDSHIP.

Mr. Charles McGloughlin, Chairman of the Irish District, and past President of the Dublin Club, presided.

After dinner, Mr. McGloughlin welcomed the visitors from outside Ireland, and especially Dr. Stephenson, the Hon. Secretary of the British Association of Rotary Clubs. This gathering, he said, was an important link in the development of good-will and friendship between the people of these islands. Rotary was a wonderful means of promoting friendship at home and abroad; it excluded from its programme all talk of religion and politics, and it smoothed away petty jealousies and class distinctions, while it offered a platform so broad in its outlook that it reached every class in the community.

Dr. Stephenson, who was warmly greeted, said that recently he had attended what he might call a spate of district conferences of Rotary, but there was no district that it gave him greater pleasure to visit than Ireland. He remembered with pleasure a previous visit of his to Dublin and Belfast. These district conferences were most valuable in bringing Rotarians together, and they were getting bigger every day. They were having a conference for Great Britain and Ireland at Harrogate next May, and an international conference at Minneapolis in June.

He urged the Irish Rotarians to come in their strength to Harrogate, where an excellent programme was being prepared. A ship would be chartered to bring British and Irish Rotarians to Minneapolis at a very low rate, and it would be worth while taking the trip.

HOW ROTARY HAS SPREAD.

The spread of Rotary was wonderful, and its influence on the lives of its members was all for good. The fact that there were 2,000 Rotary clubs was a proof of the success of the movement. Rotary on the Continent was looking to us, he said, to give them a lead, and if it were taken up in its true ideal it would bring about an interchange of friendly relations and international peace between the countries. (Applause.)

They had had a unique example of the value of Rotary in Ireland. Notwithstanding differences of Governments, there was absolute unity in the two areas under the banner of Rotary. Opportunity existed to wipe out political antagonisms in Ireland—(hear, hear)—and he did not see why it should not have a like effect on European countries. He was going to Hamburg on Saturday to be present at the opening of the first Rotary club in Germany. It had been said that if they had Rotary in Germany in 1914 there would have been no war.

BELFAST AND CORK.

Mr. Walter Malcolm, Belfast, spoke of the value of Rotary as a means of union and friendship, and as an agent in giving service to one's fellows.

Mr. Horgan, President of the Cork Club, joined in the welcome to Dr. Stephenson, and said that it was significant of Rotary that it was one of the very few movements in which Cork and Belfast would join in welcoming anybody. (Laughter.) One of the great things that Rotary had brought to Ireland was a spirit of appeasement and peace. So far as Ireland was concerned, Cork and Belfast, in this movement, were one. (Applause.)

After the speeches the company adjourned to the ballroom, and music and dancing were indulged in.

The Conference will meet this morning for special business, and after that there will be golf, and a drive to the Duff's Glen, and further discussion at night.

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON

RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ROME, Wednesday.

The Lord Mayor of London (Sir Rowland Blades) and his party this morning were given an audience by the Pope.

For the drive through the main thoroughfares of the city the traditional yellow and red was spread out on the road. All along the route, as well as in St. Peter's square, the visitors were cordially greeted by the crowd. On their way round St. Peter's Basilica they entered the gate of the Mint, where a detachment of the Papal Guards, dressed in their many coloured uniforms, designed by Raphael, gave the salute.

The carriages then crossed the courtyard of the Pappagello and set their occupants down in the vast courtyard of St. Damaso, where Pontifical gentlemen-in-waiting to ascertain if the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs were dressed in their gorgeous robes of office. They were then conducted by their attendants in uniforms of attractive considerable attention, both inside and outside the Vatican.

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A few minutes later the Lord Mayor and party were admitted to the presence of Pope Xi., being presented by Sir Odo Russell, British Minister to the Holy See.

The Pope greeted his visitors cordially and shook hands with each of them.

After a pleasant conversation he imparted to all the Apostolic Benediction, blessing also the religious objects which they carried.

The audience with the Lord Mayor and his party, which was of the most cordial nature throughout, lasted about a quarter of an hour.

Afterwards a garden party in honour of the Lord Mayor was given by the Governor of Rome, which was very largely attended, and at night Prince Felinsiani gave an informal dinner party, thirty covers at the Hunt Club in honour of the Lord Mayor and his party.

ORDER TO CLOSE FEVER HOSPITAL.

DROGHEDA CORPORATION'S PROTEST.

Drogheda Corporation on Tuesday night, on the motion of the Mayor (Mr. P. Carroll), passed a resolution calling for the immediate withdrawal of the order issued by the Louth Board of Health to the Drogheda doctors to send fever cases to Dundalk, and demanding, as a right, the maintenance of the Drogheda Fever Hospital as heretofore.

Dr. P. J. Murray, Medical Officer of Health, in a report on the subject, urged the Corporation to use every means in its power to prevent the closing of the hospital, declaring that if it was closed cases of infectious disease would be "eloaked," and the doctor called in only as a last resource. In his opinion, it was criminal treatment to send cases such as typhoid or diphtheria a journey of over twenty miles. In the former case the danger of perforation and hemorrhage would be increased, and, in the latter, heart failure was more likely to occur.

The Town Clerk (Mr. J. Carr) said that he had looked into the matter and found that the Board of Health had absolutely no legal authority to issue an order closing Drogheda Fever Hospital.

BALLYCASTLE OFFICIAL DISMISSED.

Ballycastle Board of Guardians, acting on instructions from the Northern Ministry of Home Affairs, dismissed Daniel McKinley, junior, from the position of relieving officer owing to many irregularities. McKinley was also dismissed from the position of sub-sanitary officer and egg inspector, which he held under the rural council.

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U.S. MARKETS.

MORE PROFIT-TAKING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Stocks opened weak, and a further wave of profit-taking and short selling, precipitated by the heavy increase in brokers' loans and higher call money rates, swept over the market, forcing leaders down 1 to 4 points. Bears pointed to the huge volume of brokers' loans as confirming their contentions that stocks had been widely distributed in the excitement attending the recent wild bullish demonstrations in particular shares. Supporting orders and selective buying of investment issues, including Public Utilities, failed to sustain the market against a late selling wave, and the pronounced weakness of United States Steel and Colorado Fuel and Iron, despite better trading news, caused hasty liquidation of shares purchased at the early low levels. However, subsequent aggressive pool operations in General Electric, American Linseed, Packard Motor, and Houston Oil, which rose 3 to 7 points in the final dealings, effected a hasty settlement of short contracts and brought rallies of 1 to 5 points from the day's lowest levels in many instances. The market closed irregular. Government Bonds steady; Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales totalled 2,395,000 shares.

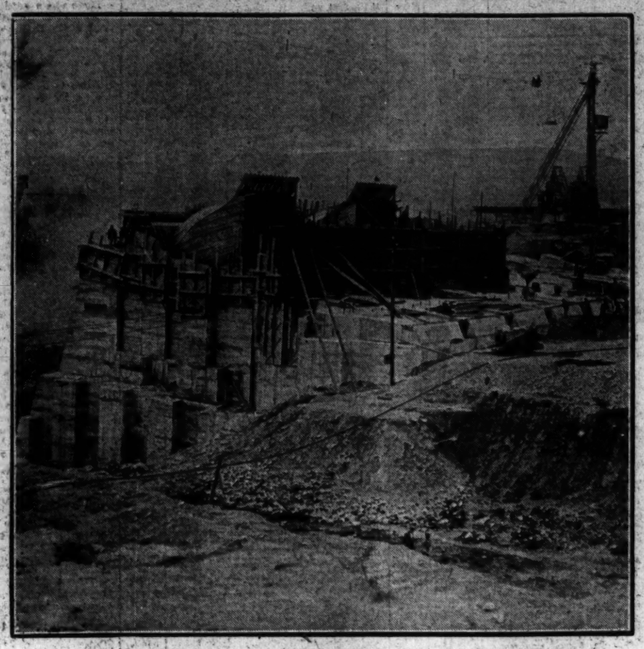
Money on call closed firm at 4½ per cent. bid and 4¾ per cent.; 6 d. All loans were made at 4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm. Silver ¼c. higher at 55¾.

	Wed.	Tues.
Call Money	4½%	4½%
Exchange on London 60 days sight	4.85⅛	4.85⅛
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.86⅝	4.86⅞
Cable Transfers	4.87⅛	4.87⅛
Do. Montreal	4.86⅛	4.86⅛
Exchange Paris cable	3.92½	3.92½

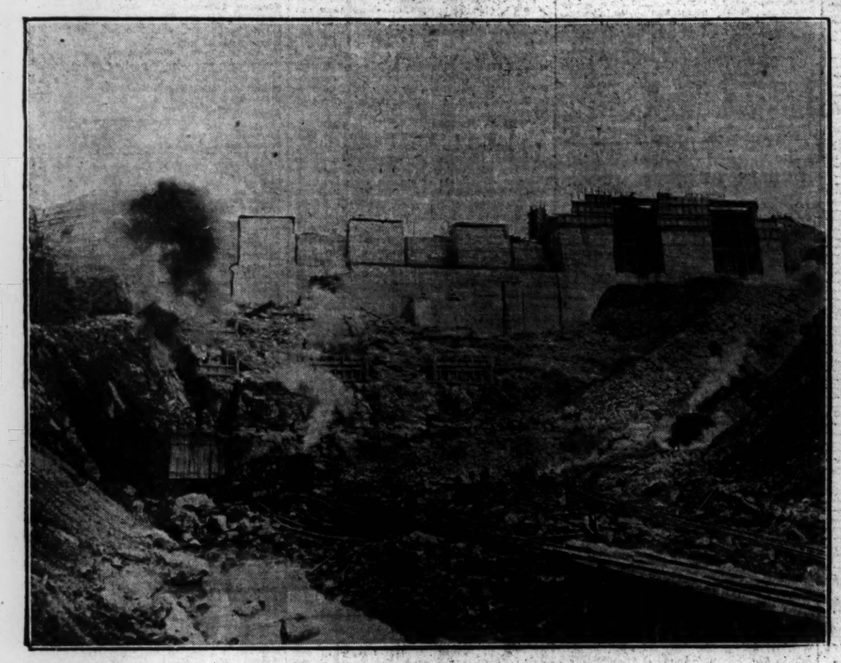
Par.	Stocks	Wed.	Tues.
100	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	131½	132
100	Do. Pref.	105½	105½
100	Baltimore and Ohio	122⅜	123¼
100	Canadian Pacific	157½	158
100	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	17⅝	17⅝
100	Chicago and North West	85½	84⅝
100	Do. Pref.	69½	69½
100	Erie 1st Preferred	62	62¼
100	Illinois Central	126½	127¼
100	Louisville and Nashville	153½	153½
100	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	46⅝	46⅝
100	Missouri Pacific New	23⅛	23⅛
100	New York Chgo & Hudson R.	167½	168¼
100	Norfolk and West Com.	180½	180
100	Northern Pacific Com.	93½	93⅝
50	Pennsylvania Shares	56⅞	57⅛
100	Reading Shares	115¾	116¼
100	Do. Pref.	41¾	41¾
100	Southern Pacific	122	122¼
100	Southern Railway	134½	134⅝
100	Union Pacific	194	194½
50	Do. Pref.	81⅞	81⅞
25	American Can. (New Stock)	66½	65⅝
100	American Smelt. and Refining	170	171¼
25	Anaconda Copper	47¼	47¼
10	Anglo-American Oil	16⅛	16⅛
100	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	60	60¼
25	Brit. American Tobacco Coupon	25⅝	25⅝
100	New York Consolidated Gas	117½	117¾
100	General Electric (New Stock)	141	137¼
100	General Motors (New)	273	273
	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs	4⅝	4⅝
	Do. Pref. Certs	38¼	38¼
100	International Pet. of Canada	25⅝	25⅝
100	National Lead	122¼	123
25	Royal Dutch Petroleum	51⅞	51⅞
100	Shell Transport and Trading	41	41¼
100	Shell Union Oil Corp.	23⅜	23½
100	U.S. Rubber

PROGRESS OF THE SHANNON WORKS.

Excavating the canal at Ardnacrusha.



A view of the main dam at Ardnacrusha. The cable crane, which carries concrete to the points where constructional work is in progress, is seen in the background.



Another view of the main dam at Ardnacrusha.

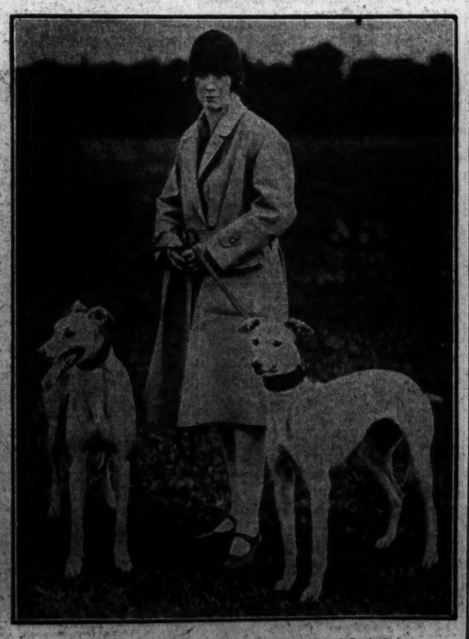
A view from the bed of the canal at Ardnacrusha of the new Blackwater Bridge, which will be opened this month.

A section of the large crowd that saw the opening of the coursing season at Coolock yesterday.

Small motors, equipped with sails, at a Children's sports meeting in Paris.

Latest Fashion.—A cinnamon velour coat, with flat panels at side, and finished with a soft brown fur collar, which suits the pale grey hat and brown ribbon.

Battery Boy and Copper Alley being slipped.



Miss Wilson, with Misbehaviour and Shade V., at Coolock.

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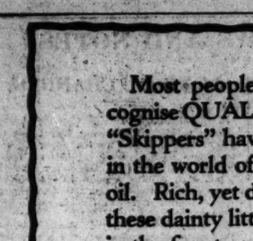

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THE VALUE OF TOWN-PLANNING.

WELL-KNOWN MEDICAL OFFICER'S OPINION.

Sir John Robertson, who, on Friday, retires from the office of Medical Officer of Health for Birmingham, glanced rapidly over his twenty-four years' experience in the city in conversation with a Press Association representative yesterday. Ever since his appointment, Sir John has worked whole-heartedly in the interests of disease prevention in Birmingham, and, although he disclaims any credit for the great reduction in mortality, it is a satisfaction to him that it has occurred during his tenure of office.

"The general death rate," he said, "has fallen from 16.5 per 1,000 persons to 11.3, and the infant mortality rate from 157 per 1,000 births to 73. Tuberculosis deaths have diminished from 1,362 to 1,024, and enteric fever has been reduced almost to vanishing point. At the same time, many other ailments have diminished in incidence, and in the amount of damage they do. Infectious disease has dwindled to a perfectly wonderful extent.

"In spite of the city's growth, we have 300 fewer beds for fever cases to-day than we had twelve or fourteen years ago. I attribute the immunity to greater knowledge on the part of the people of the ways of healthy living."

TOWN PLANNING.

Sir John Robertson is a pioneer of town planning, and still maintains that, when fully developed, it would do more to promote health and happiness in urban districts than any other legislative measure ever introduced in this country. He has taken a keen interest in the housing question, and, although Birmingham cannot show to-day a great clearance scheme for re-building, Sir John has probably done more than could be accomplished by many clearance schemes by insisting that the right way to deal with the problem is, first, to extend the city boundary, then to town-plan the area on proper lines, and build in such a way as to spread the people over much larger areas than would be possible by many clearance schemes.

As an officer whose function has been the prevention of disease, and who, presumably, is capable of applying his teaching to himself, Sir John Robertson ought to be spared for many years to enjoy the leisure that retirement will make possible after a busy official life. His immediate predecessor, Dr. Alfred Hill, exemplified his teaching by living until he had attained the age of 95.

ROMAN RELICS.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERIES AT LANCASTER.

A silver coin, with a laureated head of Nero, inscribed "Nero, Cæsar," pieces of pottery, and traces of a camp fire have been found by Professor Newstead, the Chester archæologist, during excavations with Professor Brood, of Liverpool University, at Lancaster.

The clay hearth of the camp fire had been heavily burnt and charged with charcoal, and there were found oyster shells and bones, probably the remains of some Legionaries' meal.

The excavations are being carried on near the grounds of Lancaster Vicarage.

Professor Newstead yesterday declared himself satisfied that a wall near-by is Roman work. More relics of the Roman period than had been anticipated have been found.

£86,000 BRIDGE FOR HULL.

A new bascule-bridge across the River Hull, to replace the existing North Bridge, is to form part of a large scheme of street improvement at Hull, and the Corporation Bridges Committee accepted yesterday the tender of Widnes Foundry, 1925, Limited, amounting to £86,100, for its construction.

The improvement scheme includes the acquisition of property and a diversion of a road, which is estimated to cost £300,000. The Ministry of Transport has made a grant of £50,000.

The new bridge, which is to be completed in two and a half years, will afford improved road transport between the central and eastern parts of the city.

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PAUPERS' PARADISE.

HOT BATHS AND GOOD FOOD.

Newmarket Workhouse will soon become the envy of similar institutions throughout the country, judging by what was reported at Tuesday's meeting of the Board of Guardians. Hot baths, separate cubicles, and a new dietary have recently been provided for casuals, and these changed conditions, it is claimed, have brought about a great reduction in the number admitted. Last month, for instance, the total was 194, compared with 572 in the corresponding month of last year, and the explanation was given in the following report of the master:—

"The reduction in the number of casuals admitted during the past few weeks is due, I believe, to the increased kindness and consideration shown them. We have recently changed the dietary, and, whereas formerly little effort could be made to keep the casuals clean owing to overcrowding, we are now able to give every one a hot bath, ordinary or shower as preferred. After the bath each casual is given a clean night shirt, and, in addition to fumigating their clothes when necessary, we take care of their property and personal effects until they leave. Every casual, including the women and children, are, of course, provided with their dinner on the morning of their discharge.

"We also endeavour to keep the genuine worker separate from the 'work-shy' by providing cubicles for each. In return for these efforts we ask them to leave the road, if possible, but, in any case, not to visit us again for some time. That our efforts are, to some extent, appreciated is shown by the decrease in numbers, which I have reason to believe will continue. The relations between official and casual are of the happiest, as evidenced by the 'guard of honour' provided at the recent wedding of the late porter, and also to the fact that I have not found it necessary to prosecute any casual for the past fourteen years."

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN INTERESTING.

COATS STRONG—CELANESE RAMPANT.

There were again irregular price movements on 'Change yesterday, but the volume of dealing was well maintained, and interest increased in more directions than one. The Funds, British as well as local, marked time by changing little, if anything, on the previous day's quotations. Banks were a little easier, with Bank Stock again losing ground. Among Breweries, Guinness opened lower, and, after a good many shares changed hands, became firmer, and at one time were bid up and an advance established, but later realisations were pressed, and at the final close the quotation was only ½ lower on the day. The Pref., however, improved a like fraction. Marconi Ord. relapsed on profit-taking. Home Rails were quiet and largely featureless, with the Pref. issues rather on offer. Dublin United Tram Ord. slumped further to 4—the lowest price yet touched. Alliance Gas issues were firm and unchanged. Among Manufacturing Shares, Coats Ord. were again a feature at a fresh rise of 1s. 1½d. a share. Bleachers were actively bid for, and rose a couple of shillings, and Cotton Ord. were harder and bid for. Courtaulds relapsed a few pence, but British Celanese 10s. Ord. "boomed" up atresh to the extent of 8s. to 113s., or over 1,000 per cent. premium on the nominal price. British-American and Imperial Tobacco Shares were lower on Chinese news. Imperial Chemical Ord. were good and improved, but Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell back somewhat. Yam Seng Rubber fell back to 4s. 9d., or 6d. under last price here. Mooney and Co. Ord. Shares advanced to 10½. British Match remain firm.

LONDON FIRM.

CELANESE FLUCTUATING WILDLY.

Although the volume of business passing in the London Stock Markets as a whole yesterday was still on a rather quiet scale, a generally firm tone prevailed, while here and there firm features presented themselves. British Celanese shares were again the dominating feature, but after rising sharply they fluctuated wildly and displayed an easier tendency towards the close. A steady investment demand was again manifest in the Gilt-edged securities, and certain issues were again put forward. Foreign Government Stocks were rather irregular, for while Peruvian Corporations and French Loans were firmer, Chinese issues displayed an easier appearance. Home Rails made a better showing, and several of the Preference issues were again pushed forward. Among Colonial and Foreign Rails "Canpacs" reacted to 201, while Mexican Rails continued dullish.

Industrials, apart from British Celanese, were inclined to ease off on end of account profit-taking. Among Textiles Coats were firm, but Courtaulds and others were uncertain. Tobaccos were quiet, but Dunlops were easier, as were Columbia Graphophones. Match issues maintained a firm tone, but Iron and Steels were idle and dull. Rubbers stiffened on buying consequent on the improvement in the quotation for the commodity, and Oils were firmer on balance. Among Mines Tins reacted after initial strength, the price of the metal falling £2 per ton to £267 7s. 6d.; but South Africans were better in several instances.

GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY.

A cable received by the London office of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York gives the following extracts from the company's statement of 70th September, 1927:—Total resources, $765,128,460; deposits, $601,993,123; surplus, $20,000,000; undivided profits, $3,657,084. Compared with the statement of 20th June, resources show an increase of $10,415,104 and undivided profits an increase of $617,855.

MUTUAL FINANCE.

The lists were closed on Tuesday afternoon for the Mutual Finance Indemnity and Guarantee Corporation issue of 200,000 7½ per cent. Cumulative Participating Preference shares of £1 each and 200,000 Ordinary shares of 1s. each. The prospectus was advertised in the *Irish Times* on Monday.

RICH CANADIAN GOLD FIND.

Much interest attaches to developments on the property at Cadillac, Quebec, owned by J. M. O'Brien, Ltd. An independent engineer states that the gold showing there at a depth of 160 feet is the richest Canadian find save the old Creshus. Already the company has drifted 180 feet on the first level.

KINTA SHARE SPLIT.

The directors of Kinta Tin Mines announce that, several shareholders having expressed the opinion that dealings in the shares would be considerably facilitated if they were split into a lower denomination, it has been decided to recommend that each of the present £1 shares be sub-divided into four shares of 5s. each.

AUSTRALIAN WAR LOAN CONVERSION.

A Canberra telegram states that over £5,000,000 of the Commonwealth War Loan, maturing in December, will be redeemed by the sinking funds. A loan for the conversion of the balance of £35,000,000, offered at 98½ and bearing interest at 5½ per cent., is announced.

AUSTRALIAN INTERNAL LOAN.

The Commonwealth Bank of Australia, London, has received cable advice of the terms of an issue of £36,000,000 to be made in Australia to-day to cover obligations of the Commonwealth Government maturing on December 15th next. The cable states that the price of issue is 96½ per cent.; interest 5½ per cent. per annum from date of lodgment of money.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BUKIT LINTANG RUBBER.—Final dividend for the year to 30th June last of 10 per cent., or 2/- per share, less tax, making, with the interim, 20 per cent. for the year. (Last year 50 per cent.)

BABLAS NORTH BORNEO RUBBER.—Dividend of 6 per cent. Last year 10 per cent. was paid.

BOCAWANTA DISTRICT TEA.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent. on Ord., less tax, against 5 per cent. paid last year.

CHEVIOT RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual. Last year interim was 10 per cent.

EASTERN PRODUCE AND ESTATES CO.—Interim dividend in respect of 1927 on Ord. share capital of 12½ per cent. actual, less tax. (Same.)

GAIDY BELT MANUFACTURING.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares. (Same.)

IGALANDE RUBBER AND TEA ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax. (7½ per cent. last year.)

INCH KENNETH RUBBER.—Final dividend for the year to 30th June last of 15 per cent., or 3/- per share, less tax, making, with the interim, 30 per cent. for the year. (50 per cent. last year.)

KURUNEGALA RUBBER.—Further dividend of 1d. per 2/- share, making interim dividend 6d per cent., less tax. Last year dividend 12½ per cent.

LABU E.M.S. RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual. Last year interim dividend was 10 per cent.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.—Interim dividend of £4, against £3, to corresponding period last year.

LONDON UNITED LAUNDRIES.—Further dividend of 7 per cent., making 12 per cent., less tax, for year.

MARLTON HOTEL.—Final dividend on the Ord. at the rate of 7 per cent., making 17 per cent. for the year, and a bonus of 2 per cent. (Same.)

MANCHESTER LINERS.—Final dividend of 5 per cent. actual, free of tax, making 10 per cent., thereby maintaining the rate paid for each of the past four years.

MATURATA TEA AND RUBBER.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., less tax, on Ord., making 25 per cent. for year.

MAJOR AND CO.—Payment of interim dividends due for half-year ended September 30 has been postponed.

STOCKHOLDERS' INVESTMENT TRUST.—Fourth dividend on Preference stock at rate of 5 per cent. per annum for six months, less tax.

SCOTTISH AND SOUTHERN COUNTIES INVESTMENT.—First dividend on Preference stock at rate of 6½ per cent. per annum for six months, less tax.

TOERAN SUMATRA RUBBER AND PRODUCE.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual, less tax. Last year interim was 10 per cent.

TANJONG MALIM RUBBER.—Dividend of 20 per cent. net, equivalent to 25 per cent. gross. (Same as last year.)

TIN OUTPUTS.

Chenderiang Tin Dredging.—Output for September, 32 tons.

OIL OUTPUT.

V.O.C.—Production for the week ended October 1 was 55,415 M. tons.

LONDON CHANGES.

In the Gilt-edged section Consols 2½ went ¼ firmer to 55½, while among War Loans the 3½ p.c. at 97½ were ¼ to the good. 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 75 was ¼ better. Indias were another firm spot, the 3 p.c. and the 3½ p.c. each gaining a point to 61½ and 71½ respectively. Among Colonial Government stocks, Australian 5 p.c. 1935-45 at 90 were a point firmer.

In Foreign Government stocks Chinese issues made a dull showing, the 5 p.c. 1896 at 35 x.d. and the 4½ p.c. 1898 at 64 each losing a point, while the 5 p.c. 1912 at 38 x.d. were 1½ points lower. French Fives stiffened to 16½, or ¼ better, while Peruvian Corporation Ord. gained a like amount to 14½ and the Pref. ½ to 54.

BRITISH RAILS BETTER.

In Home Rails the Pref. issues again moved forward. Among Midlands the 4 p.c. Pref. at 71½ and the 4 p.c. Pref. 1923 at 69½ were ½ and ¼ firmer, while Great Western Cons. Pref. at 84 and North-Eastern 4 p.c. 2nd Pref. at 88 were each a point to the good. Great Western Ord. at 90½ were also a point firmer, but Southern Def. Ord. went off the turn to 36½.

REACTION IN "CANPACS."

Principal interest in Colonial and Foreign Rails still centred round "Canpacs," but these reacted to 201, or 5 points below their overnight level. Mexican Railway Ord. were another dull spot, a loss of ½ being returned to 6½. "Leos," on the other hand, went ½ firmer to 58½, while B.A.G.S., Cordoba Central 1st Pref., and Antofagasta Ord. were also all ½ to the good.

RUBBER SHARES FIRMER.

Although there was no material expansion in the volume of business passing in the Rubber share market a firmer tone was manifest, and several appreciable improvements were registered. This better tendency in the share market was the direct result of the firmer tone prevailing in the commodity market, and although the final quotations for the raw material were somewhat lower than the opening levels, they still showed an advance on Tuesday's figures. Spot and October opened at 1s. 4¼d., and finished at 1s. 4d., while December went from 1s. 3½d. to 1s. 4¼d. per lb.; April to June closed at 1s. 5d., after 1s. 5¼d., and July to December fetched 1s. 6d. per lb. In the share market, Tandjong Malim spurted to 41s. 3d., or 3s. 3d. better than overnight, while Straits Rubber gained 1s. 3d. to 21s. 3d. Linggi and Malacca were other firm spots, and an advance of 1s. 3d. was registered in each, while Mendaris closed 7½d. firmer. Kuala Lumpur put on 1s. 3d. to 22s. 6d., as did Grand Central to 37s. 6d. c.d., while Highlands were 6d. harder. F.M.S. Plantations, on the other hand, went off to 52s. 6d., or 2s. 6d. lower, while General Ceylon at 42s. 6d. were 10d. easier. Lake and Manchester N.B. each dropped 1s. 10½d. on the day, while Telogoredjo at 50s. were 1s. 3d. lower.

TEA SHARES DULL.

A dull tone again prevailed in the Tea share market, while the volume of business passing continued on a rather small scale. Amalgamated Estates dropped away rather sharply, the closing value of 51-/- being 2 lower, while Ceylon Plantation and Ceylon Proprietary were 1s. and 2s. 9d. lower respectively. Consolidated Tea and Lands finished easier at 39, while Chubwa dropped ¼ to 5½. Eastern Assam and Dooars were 2s. 3d. and 1s. 10½d. down on the day, while Jorehaut and Lanka lost 1s. 7½d. and 1s. 3d. to 50s. 10½d. and 55s. 3d. respectively. Pundaloya rose to 80s. 3d., or 1s. 3d. to the good, while Darjeeling at 53s. 4½d. and Darjeeling Consolidated at 67s. 3d. were 7½d. and 6d. up.

SMALL BUSINESS IN OIL SHARES

Although the Oil Share Market yesterday was not an uninteresting one, business in most directions remained on a small scale. As was the case in the earlier days of the week, interest centred mainly on a few specialities, certain of which provided quite good features. Otherwise there was little of interest, and price movements were of the slight and irregular character. In response to a steady demand, Burmahs advanced gradually, finishing at 5½, at which a gain of ¼ was recorded. Anglo-Persians continued to receive a fair amount of attention, but, after touching 3½, receded to the overnight's level of 3⅜, the 9 per cent. Prefs. eased to 28s. A steady business was transacted in Shells, which left off rather buyers at 4¾, while the bearer shares remained at 4⅜. Royal Dutch were quiet, and finished down at 28½. Anglo-Americans improved ½ to 3⅜, but Pan American "B" declined ¼ dollar to 51¾ dollars. Reports of revolutionary disturbances in Mexico were responsible for an easier tendency in Mexican Eagles, the Ord. and 8 per cent. Participating Prefs. losing 3d., both at 18s. 1½d., the 7 per cent. Prefs., however, remained firm at 18s. 9d. One of the best features of the market was the strength of V.O.C. Holdings, which were in keen demand, both on local and Amsterdam account, at steadily advancing prices. The result of the day's business was a rise of ½, the Ord. finishing at 3⅜ and the Prefs. at 3½. British Controlled issues were easier, the Con. weakening to 5s. 11d. and the Pref. to 7s. 3d. Among Trinidad issues, Apex were prominent, there being a fair turnover in the shares, which improved ½ to 2½, the demand being attributable to the excellent production figures for the past year. United British shares hardened to 10s. 6d., Trinidad Leaseholds remained quiet at 3½, as regards Dominions, Phoenix strengthened to 19s., and Steaua Romana British to 12s., while Hamilton's Oil Concessions remained steady at 1s. 9d. In other directions, Anglo-Ecuadorians came into prominence. Mainly as a result of "bear" repurchases the shares rose 1s. to 1½, while the rights gained 1s. 6d. at 4s. Lobitos were a better market, improving ½ to 4½, but Anglo-Egyptian "B" lost ¼ at 1½. Spies Petroleum hardened 1s. to 18s.

ARTSILKS THE FEATURE OF INDUSTRIALS.

Most of the interest in the Industrial market yesterday again centred around the Artsilk group, where British Celanese were subject to some sharp fluctuations, following the official announcement regarding the forthcoming bond issue. This is to take the form of ten year bonds, which will carry for five years the right of conversion into Ordinary shares at £8 per share. British Celanese Ord. closed without net change at 5½. The Pref., after being up to 37s. 3d. bid, eventually closed 9d. lower on balance at 36s. American Celanese declined a point to 22, and Canadian Celanese lost ½ at 16½. Courtaulds eased to 7½, and Smia Viscosa to 49s. 9d. Of the other Artsilks, Branstons were firm at 14s. 7½d., and the Def. at 6s. 6d. The leading Textiles maintained a firm front, Coats being lifted to 59s. on the company's artificial silk developments. Fine Spinners strengthened to 48s. 6d. Coal, Steel and Engineering descriptions were mostly lower. Mond Nickels declined at first to 2½ on the news of the collapse of the Worthington Mine, but recovered to 2¾, which left them only ¼ lower on balance, on the company's reassuring statement that the closing of the mine will in no way affect their production of nickel.

The Electrical Equipment section made a mixed showing. Shipping issues were dull, but there was a fair business passing among Insurance shares, Motor Unions being marked up ½ to 8¼. Breweries continued active but easier for choice, Bass Ord. receding to 3½, Distillers to 2½, Hoares to 3½, Ind Coopes to 5½, and Vancouvers to 52s. 3d. Courage Ord. were firmer, closing ¼ to the good at 3½. Tobaccos moved irregularly. Carreras strengthened to 18½, and Godfrey Phillips closed ½ better on balance at 2½. "Bats" eased to 105s., with "Imps" steady around 105s. 3d. Imperial of Canada shed 3d. at 34s. 3d. Stores, Catering and Food Supply shares showed little variation. Brazilian Tractions suffered a reaction, the Common closing 5½ down at 210½, with the Pref. 2 lower at 174. Shawinigans lost a point at 88½. Barcelonas closed unaltered. Dennis continued the favourite among Motors, touching 8½ and closing with a net gain of ½ at 8½ on bonus and share-splitting rumours. Of the wireless group, Marconis were subject to end-account sales, closing 1s. 6d. down at 22s. Land shares generally lost ground; Nitrates had an easier appearance. Cement descriptions encountered a few end-account sellers. Banks proved undecided. Hong Kong gave way to 119½, Chartered of India to 20½, and National of India at 50; but support was given to Lloyds at 65s., and National Provincial at 23½.

In the Miscellaneous department Match issues were well maintained, Swedish "B" at 19½ and British Match Corp. Ord. at 32s. 9d. Kreuger and Toll, however, eased to 41½. Imperial Chemical continued to meet with good inquiry, the Ord rising 6d. to 28s. 6d. Gramophones were slightly harder at 117s. 6d., and Vocalions rallied to 17s.; but Graphophones gave way 1s. 6d. to 123s. 6d. Crittalls were a very firm spot at 60s. 6d. Wine Products eased to 22s. 9d., and Dunlops lost the turn at 34s. 1½d.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols	55½	+ ½
War Loan, 5½ %	97½	+ ½
Do. 4½ %	87	
Do. 4 %	80½	
Do. 3½ % (Tax Free)	75½	
Funding Loan	83½	
Victory Bonds	100	
3½ % Conversion Loan	75½	+ ¼
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2½ % Treasury Bonds	1926	
Irish Land 3½ %	87½	
Do. 3 %	71	
Do. 3½ %	77	+¼
Do. 4 %	80½	
Do. 4½ %	102½	
Do. 5 %	108	
Local Loans	103	
Sudan 5½ %	108	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	103	
Do. 4%	89½	
British Col. 4½, 1941	100	
Canada 4%, 1940-60	98	
Cape 3½ Cons.	80	
Ceylon 4%	97	
New South Wales 4½, 1935-45	90½	
Do. 4%	82½	
Do. 3½ % 1930-50	77	
New Zealand 4%, '29	97	
Nigeria 4%	91	
Queensland 4% 'Q'	81	
Do. 3½ % '32-62	77	
South Africa 4% Cons.	94	
Do. 3%	76	
South Australian 4% '40-60	100½	
Do. 3½ %	82½	
Victoria 4% '40-60	98	
Do. 3½ % 1923-2	80½	
Western Australia 5% '35-45	98	
Do. do. 4% 1938-48	101	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	6⅞	7⅛
Bank of Australasia	14½	14¾
Bank of England	295	300
Bank of Montreal	68	70
Bank of New South Wales	43	44
Do. New Zealand	27½	
Barclay's "A" Shares	77½	80
British Overseas	5¾	
Canadian of Commerce	65½	67½
Chartered of India	20¼	20½
Hong Kong and Shanghai	118	121
Lloyds	64	65½
Midland	90	92
National Discount "B"	9	9½
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	23½	23¾
Royal of Canada	165½	166½
Standard of South Africa	14½	15¼
Union of Australia	37	38½
Westminster Bank	18½	19¼

FOREIGN BONDS.

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101¼	Argentine 5 p.c. 1886	100	102
83	Do. 4 p.c. Recissions	82	84
97	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	97	98
108	Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	107	109
20½	Brazil 5 p.c. 1895	20	20½
82	Chinese 5 p.c. 1896	34	36
82	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1912	36	38
97	Do. 6 p.c. 1913	100	
42	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	36	38
40½	Czechoslovakia Bonds	40	40½
84⅜	Egyptian Unified	84	84½
16⅞	French Loan	16	17
73⅜	Do. 4 p.c.	73	73½
105	German 7 p.c.	103	107
93⅝	Greek Loan	93	93½
18⅜	Italian Credits	18	18½
92	Japan 4 p.c., 1925	89	90
84	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	84	85
42	Do. 6 p.c., 1926	42	43
40½	Mexican Eagle 4 p.c.	16	16½
46	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	46	47
14⅜	Peruvian Corporation	14	14½
53¼	Do. Pref.	53½	54⅛
10⅜	Do. Deb.	10½	10⅝
37¼	Portuguese 3 p.c.	37	37½
75	Spanish 4 p.c.	73	77
24¼	Turkish Unified	24	25
45⅛	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	45	46

BRITISH RAILS.

89½	Great Western	90	91
	Do. Cons. Pref.	93	95
70	Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	70½	71
	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	71¼	72¼
	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	83	90
	Do. 4 p.c. 1923	69	70
38½	Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	38	39
16	Do. Def. Ord.	15¾	16¼
	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	63	65
	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	57	58
56½	Metropolitan	56	57
	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	90	100
61⅞	Do. District	61	62
70½	Southern Pref. Ord.	69½	70½
28	Do. Def. Ord.	36	37
102	Underground Electric Rlys. (£1)	101½	102½
103	Do. Income Bonds	104¼	104⅝

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

84½	Antofagasta	85	87
	Argentine G.W. Ord.	80	82
	Bahia Blanca Quar. Stk.	80½	82½
	Brazil Railway Common	21	22
100	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	99½	100
94	Buenos Ayres Pacific	94½	96½
92½	Buenos Ayres and W.	92½	94½
180	Canadian Pacific	200	202
	Central Argentine	92	94
91	Do. Def.	90	92
	Central Uruguay	85½	86½
37½	Cordoba Central	34½	36½
7½	Do. 1st Pref.	34½	36½
58	Do. 2nd Pref.	34½	36½
72½	Entre Rios	72	73
	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	27½	28½
	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	81	83
	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. Deb.	40	42
83	Leopoldina	81½	83½
	Mexican Rails	6	7
14	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	17	19
7½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	9	11
181	San Paulo Ord.	176	181
24	United Havana	24	26

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	197	199
—	Baltimore	82	83
—	Chesapeake	218	220
—	Chicago Milwaukee	35	36
—	Erie	57	60
—	Do. 1st Pref.	63	65
—	New York Ontario	46	47
137	Southern Pacific	137	138⅞
—	Do. Pref.	100	103
—	Southern Pacific	125	127
194	Union Pacific	193	195

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

23⅜	Allsopp £1 Shares	11½	11¾
68⅜	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	58½	59½
77⅜	Dist. and Canada	77	78
57⅜	Distillers Ord.	57½	58
49⅜	Guinness Ord.	47⅞	48
72⅜	Hoare and Co.	72½	73½
66⅜	Ind Coope Ord.	66	67
19⅜	Irish Distillers	19	21½
57⅜	South African Breweries	56½	58
21⅜	Walker (John) Pref.	22⅜	23⅜
29⅜	Watney, Combe	25½	28½

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Hoornesmuth and Poole	297½	302½
25⅜	Charing Cross	25½	26⅜
—	Chelsea Ord.	25⅜	26⅜
29⅜	Chelsea Pref.	28½	29½
27⅜	County of London	26⅜	27⅜
—	Lancashire	76⅜	78⅜
54⅜	London Electric	53½	55⅜
29⅜	Metropolitan	29⅜	30⅜
21⅜	Newcastle	20½	19½
25⅜	St. James's	23⅜	24⅜
—	South London	75⅜	78⅜
—	Westminster Ord.	40⅜	42⅜
—	Whitehall Electric Pref.	20½	21½

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

28⅜	Aerated Bread	30⅜	31⅜
42⅜	Boxril Def.	41½	42½
4⅜	Crosse and Blackwell	4⅜	5⅜
13⅜	Lipton	14⅜	15⅜
25⅜	Meredith and Drew	25⅜	26⅜
27⅜	Spillers Ord.	27⅜	28⅜
—	Do. Def.	24⅜	25⅜
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	23⅜	24⅜
8/7½	Maypole Def.	8/3	8/10½
—	Smithfield Arc. Rest.	20⅜	21⅜
2½	Spratt's Patent	2½	2⅝
19⅜	Stores Ord.	19⅜	19⅜
—	Do. Def. Ord.	19⅜	19⅜
3½	Van Den Berghs	3½	3⅝
—	Do. Pref.	4¾	5¼

IRON AND STEEL.

3/4½	Armstrong, W. (J.)	3/3	3/9
7/6	Cammell Laird	7/6	8/3
10/3	Cargo Fleet	10/3	11/3
9/6	Dorman, Long	9/6	9/9
13/6	John Brown	12/6	13/6
6/3	Pease and Partners	7/9	8/3
45/6	South Durham Steel	45/6	47/6
31/9	Siemens	32/6	33/9
4/6	United Steel	4/10½	4/4½
11/6	Vickers Ord.	11/7½	12/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	3½	15/16
40/8	Argentine Land	40½	5/16
25/6	Do. Southern Land	1¼	1⅝
8/8	B.N.H. Land	8/9	9/0
29/9	Forestal Land	27/9	28/3
4/9	Hinde's Bay Ord.	4¼	4⅝
4/6	Pekin Syndicate	4/6	5/0
23⅜	Rio Negro Lands	2¼	2⅝
42⅜	Sudan Plantations	42⅜	42⅞

NEWSPAPERS.

7/3½	Assd. Newspapers Def.	7/2	8
73/6	Allied News Ord.	73/3	74/3
	Amal. Press (New)	27/6	28/6
94/9	Daily Mail Trust	92/6	93/6
2/1½	Daily Mirror Ord.	2/1½	2/3½
—	Illustrated Newspapers	38/9	27/6
4¼	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	4⅜	4¼

NITRATES.

9⅛	Alianza	9⅛	10⅛
15⅜	Lagunas Nitrate	15⅜	16⅜
4⅞	Lautaro Nitrate	4⅝	4⅞
22⅜	Liverpool Nitrate	22½	23½
27/3	New Tamarugal	27/6	28/6
16/6	Rosario Nitrate	14⅜	15⅜
19⅜	Santiago Nitrate	19⅜	20⅜
16/9	Tarapaca Nitrate	16/3	16/9

OILS.

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27/6	Anglo-American	27½	27¾
18⅜	Anglo-Ecuadorian	17⅝	17⅞
1⅜	Anglo-Persian	1⅜	1⅜
3⅜	Anglo-Persian Pref.	3⅜	3⅜
28/3	Do. 9 p.c. 1st Pref.	28/1½	28/7½
27/3	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/3	28/1½
1⅜	Do. 9 p.c. Def.	1⅜	1⅜
36/3	Asiatic Petroleum	36/3	37/3
2/6	Asiatic Trinidad (5/- shares)	2/6	2/7½
18⅜	Attock	18⅜	19⅜
18⅜	British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	18⅜	18⅜
5/6	British Burmah (£1)	5/6	5/7½
5/1½	British Controlled	5/3	5/3
7/4½	Do. Pref.	7/1½	7/4½
	Burmah	5¾	5⅞
27/0	Do. 9 p.c. Pref.	26/9	27/0
2/6	Caltex	2/4½	2/5½
2/6	Creole Syd.	2/6	2/6
	Eagle Transport Pref.		6½
12/6	Hirn River (10/-)	11/10½	12/4½
	Lan (no par value)	4/3½	4/4½
	Lobitos	4½	4½
18/7½	Mexican Eagle	17/10½	18/4½
1⅜	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	17/10½	18/4½
1⅜	Do. 10-Y. Treas.	1⅜	1⅜
	North Caucasian (10/-)	4½	4⅝
5/10½	Omnium	5/9	5/10½
	Pan-American	50¼	50¾
20/6	Phoenix Oil	19⅜	19⅞
11/-	Do. "A" shares	10⅜	10⅝
	Royal Dutch	28½	28⅝
	Shell Transport	4¾	4⅞
2/7½	Do. Pref. (£10)	2/7½	2/8½
	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	3/6	3/7½
24/6	Spies (2/-)	2/10½	2/11½
6/11	Steaua Romana	6/10½	6/11½
13/6	Tanjore Pref.	13/6	13/6
6/3	Trinidad Central	6/3	6/3
10/-	Trinidad Leaseholds	10/-	10/-
10/9	United Brit. Trinidad	10/6	10/9
2/-	Ural Caucasian	2/-	2/-
2/3½	V.O.C. Holdings	3/-	3/3½
3⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3¼	3⅜

RUBBERS.

2/10½	Amal. Rubber Est.	2/9	
47/6	Anglo-Dutch	44/9	-0/3
8/3	Anglo-Java	8/3	
1/3	Anglo-Malay	1/3	
1/2½	Anglo-Persian	1/2½	
	Batu Caves	6/6	-0/3
	Bukit Mertajam	6/6	-0/3½
	Bukit Sembawang	2/7½	
1¼	Buntar	23/9	
2/3	Damansara	21/10½	
40/6	Grand Central	37/6	+1/3
21½	Highlands	20/6	+0/6
2¾	Java	2/6	
26/6	Jugra Land	23/6	
4/10½	Kamuning	4/6	
2/10	Kapar Para	2/3	
8/6	Kepong	7/11¼	
3/6	Kuala Lumpur	27/10½	+1/3
42/6	Kuala Muda	38/9	-1/3
4/6	Labu	4/0	-1/0½
4/10½	Lavas	4/10½	
41/3	Lingei	41/3	+1/3
7/6	London Asiatic	6/10½	+0/1½
2¼	Malacca	2/1½	+0/1½
41/3	Malayalam	40/3	+0/4½
4/3/4	Malaya Para	4/3/4	
1/6	Mooply Valley	31/3	
2/3	Rubber Estate of Krian	2/3½	
41/9	Rubber Trust	39/6	
1/9	Sashell (New)	1/6	
35/0	Sondayan	35/0	
1/3	Sungei	1/3	
1/3	Straits Rubber	21/3	+1/3
2/7½	Sumatra Para	2/6	
4/6	Tebrau	4/6	
47/6	Tandjong	47/6	
41/3	Tandjong Malim	41/3	+3/9
6/1½	Thong Sadang	6/1½	
—	United Sua Belong		
18/1½	Vallambrosa	18/1½	

TEXTILES AND STORES.

5/10½	Amalgamated Cotton	5/9	6/3
39/6	Bleachers	38/6	40/6
45/9	Bradford Dyers	45/3	46/3
4/4	Bradford Cotonese Ord.	4/3	4/6
27/6	Calico Printers	26/3	27/9
58/6	Coats	58/6	59/6
4/6	Courtaulds	4/6	4/7½
46/0	English Sewing Cotton	47/0	48/0
47/6	Fine Spinners	48/0	49/0
20/4½	Linotts	20/4½	20/7½
6/6	Harrods Stores	6/6	6/6
18/6	Harrods (B.A.)	18/6	17/6
7/6	Lancashire Cotton Ord.	7/6	7/6
22/9	Lister Ord.	21/6	24/0
21/6	Nuera Silk	15/9	16/6
21/6	Do. Def.	20/3	21/6
	Selfridge 6 p.c. Def.	21½	21½

TELEGRAPHS.

25	Anglo-American Def.	24¾	
21⅜	Marconi Wireless Ord.	21⅜	-1/6
	Do. Pref.	22⅜	
	Do. Debs.	102½	+1
	Do. Marine	20/3	
	Do. Canada	7/6	
	Oriental Telephone	19½	
2½	Radio Corporation	2½	
11	Do. Pref. (£50)	10½	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

27/0	African and East. Trade	26/3	27/3
19/6	Amal. Dental Pref. Ord.	19/6	19/6
3½	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3½	3⅝
19/6	Associated Cement

THE ROYAL ULSTER SOCIETY.

AUTUMN SHOW AND SALE OF SHORTHORNS.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.
BELFAST, Wednesday.

The fifth annual sale of pedigree shorthorn cows, heifers and bull and heifer calves was held to-day at the Show Grounds, Balmoral, Belfast, by Messrs. MacDonald, Fraser and Co., Ltd., auctioneers. In the sale were included 23 head of cattle belonging to the old-established dairy herd of the late Mr. John McEvoy, Jennettspass, who was a very successful breeder, his bull calves invariably realising high prices at the Belfast and Dublin spring shows. The herd of Mr. David G. McKee, Newmills House, Dungannon, was also offered for sale. Other well-known sellers were Mr. David H. Bell, Dr. Thompson, and Messrs. J. and J. H. Bridgilt. The stock offered was generally of good quality. The attendance was large, and competition was pretty keen, especially for dairy cattle. On the whole, the sale was as good as that of last year.

The highest price paid was 56 guineas to the representative of the late Mr. McEvoy for Riverside Red Countess, a splendid type of cow, six years old, with a creditable pedigree. Mr. William J. Hogg was paid 51 guineas for Tullyveagh Brier Bud, a beautiful roan, calved in April, 1926. Mr. Catherwood, Toomebridge, was paid 50 guineas for Moyola Augusta, cup-bearer. These were the highest prices of the day, the average price all round being about 22 guineas. Out of 34 lots, 68 were sold.

THE SALES.

		Gns.
Mr.	W. S. C. Ferguson's Cookstown Gem, born May, 1914; sire Duchlate Marquis; dam Lady Jane (Mr. T. J. Lawlor).....	34
Mr.	John Patterson's Butterfly Countess 3rd, calved March, 1918; sire Pearl-finder, dam Butterfly Countess 2nd (Mr. Crawford)	24
Mr.	Hugh W. Stewart's Lady Duchess 2nd, born 1919; sire Baron Poland, dam Lady Duchess (Mr. Henry)	20½
Mr.	William Stewart's Claret 21st, born 1922, sire Bernard Lancer, dam Claret 19th (Mr. Creswell)	15
Mr.	D. J. McKee's Duchess Broadhooks 15th, born 1922; sire King Lavender, dam Duchess Broadhooks 14th (Mr. McFarlane)	34
Mr.	David H. Bell's Windmill Princess Royal 2nd, born 1923, sire Lord Mayor, dam Kilkea Princess Royal (Mr. Boyd)	21
Mr.	William Paul's Empress Mavourneen, born 1923; sire Heatherwith Coronet, dam Oakisland Broadhooks 2nd (Mr. Catherwood)	20
Dr.	G. M. Thompson's Clermont Nymph, born 1923; sire Fleetie Marshall, dam Clermont Queen, together with her bull calf, Bellaghy Ploughman, born August, 1927 (Mr. Creswell)	14½
Her	red and white bull calf, born April, 1927 (Mr. Catherwood)	15½
Dr.	Thompson's Clermont Countess 3rd, born 1925; sire Field Marshall 2nd, dam Clermont Queen (Commander A. L. Chichester (Clarke)	15
Messrs.	J. and H. Bridgett's Melody, born February, 1926; sire Roll Call, dam Melody 13th (Mr. Wilson)	16½
Mr.	D. H. Bell's Windmill Miss Ramsden, born February, 1926; sire Millhill's Battle Axe, dam Ena Ramsden (Mr. Robert)	15
Representatives of the late J. McEvoy's Norma (Gwynne, born 1916), dam Rapton Mischief, dam Florence Gwynne (Mr. Graham)		30
Do.	Rathdorrell Ruth, born 1917; sire Lisbugh Duke, dam Ruth's Heiress (Mr. Galbraith)	41
Do.	Sunshine's Rose, born 1920; sire Red Orphan, dam Sunshine's Clip (Mr. McCusker)	24
Do.	Mona Gwynne, born April, 1920; sire Drumcullen Style, dam Norma Gwynne (Mr. McConville)	37
Her	red heifer calf, born April, 1927 (Mr. McConville)	18½
Do.	Riverside Red Countess, born 1921; sire Glasslough Red Baron, dam Red Countess (Mr. Galbraith)	55
Her	bull calf, born March, 1927; Riverside Marquis, sire Red Marquis (Mr. Jennery)	38
Do.	Melody 27th, born March, 1923; sire Culkeeran Lord Mayor, dam Melody 26th (Mr. Shannon)	37
Do.	Carrowreagh Clemency, born 1925; sire Windmill Royal Prince, dam Clemency 34th (Mr. McConville)	31
Her	roan heifer calf, Riverside Clementina, born April 1927 (Mr. McConville)	35
Do.	Princess Royal Queen, born April, 1923, sire Collynie Renown, dam Princess Royal Queen (Mr. Catherwood)	17
Do.	Ruth April, calved 1923; sire Royal Star, dam Ruth's Heiress (Mr. Connolly)	17
Her	heifer calf, born April, 1927 (Mr. McArdle)	14
Do.	Riverside Water Lily, born April, 1924, sire Red Victory, dam Water Lily (Mr. Dickson)	41
Do.	Riverside Countess, born 1925; sire Croscandley Hero, dam Riverside Red Countess (Mr. Tourley)	24
Do.	Riverside Clemency, born April, 1926, sire Ballymoll Dandy, dam Carrowreagh Clemency (Mr. C. Webb)	22
Do.	Riverside Ruth, born April, 1926; sire Ballymoll Dandy, dam Ruth April (Mr. Tourley)	27
Do.	Riverside Princess Royal, born April, 1926; sire Ballymoll Dandy, dam Princess Royal Queen 5th (Mr. Robertson)	10
Do.	Riverside Daisy Waterloo, born April, 1926; sire Ballymoll Dandy, dam Riverside Water Lily (Mr. Dickson)	16
Do.	Riverside Broadhooks, born June, 1926; sire Ballymoll Dandy, dam Lady Broadhooks 7th (Mr. Jennery)	11
Do.	Riverside Lady, born February, 1927; sire Red Marquis, dam Red Lily (Mr. McConville)	37
Mr.	D. H. Bell's Windmill Augusta 6th, born March, 1926; sire Millhill Battleaxe, dam Augusta 120th (Mr. Atkinson)	20
Dr.	G. M. Thompson's Clermont Nymph, born 1923; sire Fleetie Marshall, dam Clermont Queen, together with her bull calf, Bellaghy Ploughman, born August, 1927 (Mr. Creswell)	17
Mr.	D. Gilpin's Legacurry Broadcocks Night, born March, 1926; sire Chancellor, dam Ballyreagh Broadcocks Rose (Mr. Robertson)	18
Mr.	D. G. McKee's Duchess Broadhooks 17th, born March, 1926; sire Tullyveagh Special, dam Duchess Broadhooks 15th (Mr. Gilliland)	21
Messrs.	Bridgett's Broadhooks Cherry, born April, 1926; sire Roll Call, dam Broadhooks Mite (Mr. Robertson)	16
Mr.	W. J. Hogg's Tullyveagh Brier Bud, born April, 1926; sire Memento, dam Brier Bud 26th (Mr. Jennery)	51
Mr.	Best's Aghalee Broadhooks Victoria, born April, 1926; sire Cluny Nonpareil Pride, dam Oakisland Broadhooks 6th (Mr. Robertson)	50
Messrs.	Bridgett's Broadhooks Beauty, born April, 1926; sire Roll Call, dam Broadhooks Queen (Mr. Getty)	17
Messrs.	Bridgett's Augusta's Secret, born April, 1926; sire Red Baron, dam Augusta's Choice (Mr. Getty)	16
Mr.	Gilpin's Legacurry Lady Fame, born April, 1926; sire Chancellor, dam Farewell Fame 2nd (Mr. Catherwood)	16
Messrs.	Bridgett's Melody 18th, born April, 1926; sire Augusta's Diamond, dam Melody 17th (Mr. Getty)	15
Mr.	Catherwood's Moyola Augusta Cupbearer, born April, 1926; sire Inverton Cupbearer, dam Moyola Augusta Mayoress (Mr. Gibson)	50
Mr.	J. Megaw's Limepark Augusta's Queen, born May, 1926; sire Dorothy King, dam Silverhill Augusta 2nd (Mr. Shannon)	24
Mr.	Best's Aghalee Broadhooks Pride, born May, 1926; sire Cluny Nonpareil Pride, dam Achalis Lady Broadhooks (Mr. Barbour)	101
Mr.	W. Stewart's Dainty Lady's Daughter, born May, 1926; sire Grana's Champion 2nd, dam Dainty Lady (Mr. Robertson)	14
Messrs.	Bridgett's Augusta Bud, born May, 1926; sire Challenger, dam Augusta's Bell (Mr. Robertson)	134
Messrs.	Bridgett's Augusta Maid; sire Augusta's Diamond, dam Augusta Cowslip (Mr. Robertson)	114
Messrs.	Bridgett's Augusta's Pearl, born June, 1926; sire Roll Call, dam Augusta's Queen (Mr. Creswell)	10
Messrs.	Bridgett's Augusta Bliss, born June, 1926; sire Challenger, dam Augusta Eliza (Mr. Robertson)	14
Messrs.	Bridgett's Broadhooks Bloom, born July, 1926; sire Augusta's Diamond, dam Broadhooks Mary (Mr. Robertson)	134
Mr.	McKee's Butterfly Queen, born October, 1926; sire His Majesty, dam Butterfly Norah (Mr. Webb)	12
Mr.	R. Stewart's Templereagh Princess Mary 2nd, born January, 1927; sire Cumbus Film Star, dam Templereagh Princess Mary (Mr. Best)	17
Mr.	R. Stewart's Templereagh Blood Royal 2nd, born January, 1927; sire Cumbus Film Star, dam Templereagh Blood Royal (Mr. McCann)	28
Mr.	Catherwood's Moyola Nonpareil 6th; sire Hindlee Premier, dam Nonpareil Rose 2nd (Mr. Stewart)	21

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH, DUBLIN.

St. Michan's Church, Dublin, has been closed for some time for painting and repairs. Re-opening Services will be held to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, and on Sunday at 11.30 o'clock. To-morrow the preacher will be the Dean of Christ Church, Mr. George Harrison will play the organ, and there will be special music. Collections will be taken in aid of the Repair Fund.

Considerable repairs have been carried out to the roof; the interior of the Church has been repainted, and the organ has been cleaned. St. Michan's was the first church in Dublin to be lighted by electricity, and, as it was found that the system had become defective, it was necessary to put in a complete new installation.

ASPIRIN IS NOT DANGEROUS.

VIEWS OF DUBLIN DOCTORS.

OPPOSED TO DEMAND FOR RESTRICTIONS.

Some surprise has been created by the statement of Dr. Joseph Brennan, Coroner for South County Dublin, that some curb ought to be put on the sale of aspirin in the same way as morphia and cocaine.

"The indiscriminate sale of this drug," he said, at an inquest on a lady who had taken an overdose of it, "is one of the pests of humanity in this country."

Interviewed yesterday, some of Dublin's leading physicians, surgeons and pharmaceutists expressed the opposite view.

"PERFECTLY SAFE."

A well-known Merrion square physician said:—

People might kill themselves by smoking too much, but that is no reason why the sale of tobacco should be hemmed in by restrictions. I hardly go into a house where aspirin is not kept. We are far too much inclined to treat people as if they were babies. You cannot keep fools from injuring themselves. That is no reason why the sensible people should suffer. Almost everyone takes aspirin, and it is only once in a million cases that there is a death—except in the case of a lunatic, and lunatics cannot be preserved from their own folly.

Aspirin is perfectly safe. It relieves pain, and it is not fair to those who want aspirin to be put under the obligation of paying a doctor for a prescription. If a drug produces more benefit than harm, its sale ought not be restricted, but if it produces more harm than benefit, it ought to be restricted.

Another prominent physician in Merrion square said:—

If a person takes from 10 to 15 grains, there can be no harmful effects; but if people take from 250 to 300 grains, they are bound to kill themselves. There are many other things which, if taken in large quantities, will produce death. I find aspirin in nearly every house I visit, and I do not see any reason for any restriction on its sale.

DANGER OF PROLONGED USE.

One of the best known physicians in Dublin expressed this view:—

I quite agree that people take aspirin unnecessarily and in inordinate doses. Aspirin should not be taken by anybody except on a medical prescription. The public have taken the matter into their own hands, and if they choose to poison themselves, it is their own look-out. I do not agree that aspirin should be scheduled with cocaine and morphia. You might as well put many other harmless drugs in the poison list.

A leading surgeon said:—

There is no comparison whatever between aspirin and morphia or cocaine. The latter two are highly poisonous drugs and aspirin is not. Aspirin is not a poisonous drug unless taken in excessive doses by one not accustomed to it. The danger of the drug lies in its prolonged use, as it produces a weakening effect on the heart. I think it is a perfectly safe drug. Anyone who is accustomed to take aspirin at all might easily enough take from 15 to 20 grains without any risk.

PHARMACIST'S OPINION.

The views of a well-known pharmacist are as follows:—

I think that the Coroner has exaggerated matters a good deal when he suggests that aspirin should be put in the same category as morphia or cocaine. The fact that a dose ten or twenty times greater than the maximum caused the death of a person is no reason why it should be placed under the same restrictions as dangerous drugs. Probably if a person took fifteen times the maximum dose of quinine, it would have a fatal effect. Chemists would be glad if aspirin could be put on the ordinary poisons schedule, the restrictions on which are not so great as on morphia and cocaine. This would restrict the sale of aspirin to those who are entitled to be retailers of it. At the present time it may be had throughout the country from shopkeepers of all kinds.

"SLEEPY SICKNESS" IN BELFAST.

ONLY ONE CASE IN SEVERAL WEEKS.

Inquiries made by our Belfast Correspondent into the report that there were forty cases of sleeping sickness in the Belfast Union Infirmary, elicited the information that these are chronic cases which have been coming in and out of the Union Infirmary for several years.

There is no sleeping sickness epidemic, and only one case had been reported to the Belfast Medical Officer of Health within the past few weeks.

FEASTING AT "WAKES."

"NOT 125 ABSTAINERS IN WHOLE OF IRELAND."

"Everyone should make an effort to stop these horrid feasts, that remind one of the days of paganism, that take place at 'wakes'" said the Rev. H. C. Atkinson, Kilrush, at Ferns Diocesan Synod on Tuesday, when reviewing the work of the Diocesan Temperance Society.

He had witnessed scenes at "wakes" that would really bring a blush to the cheek of any Christian. If something could be done, such as taking the corpse into the church even for one night, it would awaken the sense of the people to the enormity of the crime of these feasts.

Referring to the fact that no return of the number of total abstainers had been received by the Diocesan Society from 22 out of 35 parishes, he said that that did not indicate that no work was being done in these parishes. There was no return from his parish, but he was a total abstainer himself, and he was doing temperance work quietly.

Wexford parish had returned 125 total abstainers. There were not 125 total abstainers in the whole of Ireland. (Laughter.) Carnew parish returned 100 total abstainers. That could not possibly be unless they returned the children in arms. (Laughter.) He did not think there was a single man in his parish who did not drink at some time.

The Society's report was adopted unanimously.

BALLINASLOE LAMB FAIR.

A BIG SUPPLY AND SMALLER PRICES.

FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.
BALLINASLOE, Wednesday.

For the second day of the sheep fair the supply of lambs forward to-day was unusually large. Whether this is merely due to the natural increase in the flocks of this year of the country, or to the need for ready money on the part of flockmasters, the fact remains that supplies were larger than for several years past. Not only that, but the lambs were forward in nice useful condition. If the demand had been equally satisfactory, all would have been well. Buyers, however, were somewhat scarce, as well as being cautious, and the net result was a drop in the value of lambs by from 2s. to 3s. per head as compared with Tuesday. This is demonstrated by the fact that on Tuesday Mr. Patrick Dolan, Aughrim, Co. Galway, sold 100 lambs at 40s., while to-day he sold 50 equally good lots at 38s. Some useful blackface lambs changed hands at 36s., while some really choice lots realised 37s. 6d. Top quality whitefaced lambs were disposed of at 40s. per head, one or two exceptional lots bringing as much as 42s.; but these were few and far between. From 40s. values ranged down to 31s., at which figure a lot of 100 were sold.

Wether hoggets were scarce, and made 2s. over Tuesday's figure, up to 42s. 6d. per head being obtained. There was very little demand for ewe hoggets, but a lot of Mr. Kenny's that won first prize at the district show on Monday were sold at 60s. each. Amongst yesterday's transactions may be mentioned the sale by Mr. M. Dolan, Laurencetown, of 100 two-shear wethers at 65s., and 100 at 50s. each.

Business to-day dragged on until well into the afternoon, a considerable number of lambs remaining unsold. These will probably be offered again at the general fair on Saturday, when, judging by last year's experience, sellers hope to improve on to-day's prices. Some old rams brought £4 to £6 each.

There was a fairly large offering of Kerry bullocks and heifers, many of them from Mr. M. Prendergast, Farranfore, a constant supporter of Ballinasloe Fair. A number of useful heifers from this lot of cattle brought £10 each, while 30 Kerry bullocks and 30 heifers were sold to the Lady Clonbrock at £9 10s. per head. Some 30 Galway-fed three-year-old Kerries from Mr. Philip Hogan were sold to Mr. Bruton, Co. Meath, for £12 5s. each.

Of the 80 waggons required for the live stock trade to-day, 17 went to the North Wall, 15 to Hill of Down, 10 to Kilcock, 12 to Mullingar, 8 to Liffey Junction, 6 to Moate and 5 to Maynooth.

In olden days telegraphic facilities in connection with the great October Fair at Ballinasloe necessitated the employment of what were called telegraphists with Wheatstone instruments from Dublin. During the war years this extra staff was gradually reduced, until three or four years ago, when the whole telegraphic work of the week devolved on the shoulders of the local staff by working overtime. This indicates, amongst other things, the increasing use of the telephone, a reduction in the number of telegrams despatched, and, incidentally, a decline in the volume of business in connection with the fair.

THE CAP RETURNS.

The official gap returns for to-day are:—
Lambs sold, 3,012; lambs unsold, 2,517.
Corresponding figures for last year:—Sold, 3,080; unsold, 548.

FLUKE IN SHEEP AND CATTLE.

DEPARTMENT'S APPEAL TO FARMERS.

The Department of Lands and Agriculture earnestly appeal to all farmers in the Irish Free State to take steps without delay to guard against a recurrence of fluke in sheep and cattle during the coming months. Already, owing to the wet summer, there is considerable evidence of the disease in the country, and there is grave reason to fear that, unless certain precautions are taken, it will become unusually severe during the winter and spring, especially if the weather should continue wet.

The Department have had printed a revised leaflet on fluke, a copy of which should be in the hands of every owner of live stock. By carefully following the instructions contained therein as to the periodic dosing of animals with the approved specific, and as to feeding, spraying of infected lands, etc., farmers can, with every confidence, secure themselves against losses from this disease.

Copies of the leaflet can be obtained, post free, on application to the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Government Buildings, Dublin. Letters containing applications need not be stamped.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURTS.

WORKMEN'S APPLICATIONS TO-DAY.

Both Judge Davitt and Judge Roche sat in Dublin Castle yesterday to arrange the lists of Circuit Court cases. They also disposed of a number of cases of no general public interest.

In Court No. 5 Judge Davitt dealt with a long list of equity applications, for payment out of court of money from funds standing to credit in minor matters. There was no opposition, and all the applications were granted.

Judge Roche, in Court No. 6, received consents to the settlement of cases, including ejectment applications, and made arrangements for the hearing of ordinary civil bill cases which could not conveniently be proceeded with that day.

This morning both Courts will sit again. Workmen's compensation cases will be taken by Judge Davitt.

RETIRED BANK MANAGER.

After thirty-eight years' service, Mr. M. R. Weld, manager of the Provincial Bank, Tipperary, has retired on superannuation. He is succeeded by Mr. Cyril Stephens, transferred from the Dingle branch.

FARMER'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, farmer, of Ballycarroll, Maryborough, formerly a member of the Mountmellick Board of Guardians and District Council, died suddenly while returning from a funeral at The Heath on Monday last. "Death from natural causes" was the verdict of the Coroner's jury.

ELECTRIC HARE IN RATHMINES.

VARIED VIEWS ON PROPOSAL.

LIVELY COUNCIL MEETING.

Some heat was introduced in the course of the discussion at the meeting of the Rathmines Urban District Council yesterday, when the proposal to start a greyhound racing track at the Orchards, Harold's Cross, Dublin, was again under discussion.

It was decided that the portion of the minutes regarding the proposed plans for a racing track be referred back to the Housing Committee, with a view to securing the opinion of counsel in the matter.

It was also agreed, by a majority vote, that a committee of the Council be appointed to investigate the circumstances in connection with the offer of the ground to the Council, and its subsequent purchase by the Chairman (Sir Simon Maddock); and also the circumstances connected with the use to which the ground is to be put.

THREE DEPUTATIONS.

"A TRAVESTY ON SPORT."

Three deputations waited on the Council. One was from the Select Vestry, Harold's Cross; a second represented the Presbyterian Presbytery, Dublin, and a third represented the unemployed.

Mr. S. U. Savage was spokesman for the Select Vestry. He said that the site chosen was the worst possible, being surrounded by dwellings of excellent type and considerable value. If the scheme went through it would mean the ultimate deterioration of this property.

It would further give more scope to a practice which was not conducive to the best interests of the community as a whole. Then they had at this place a cemetery, a convent, a church and a Hospice for the Dying. The deputation represented 1,700 parishioners, who wished to emphasise that the whole scheme was objectionable.

Mr. R. J. Buckley, Bank of Ireland, said that they were not millionaires, but it would be an insult to sport to call greyhound racing sport. What was at the bottom of it was betting. If the project was carried out, they would enlist the aid of the ratepayers of the township, and they would fight it to a successful issue.

Mr. T. J. Gleave held that such a project would be detrimental to the morals of the district. Many people who had signed the petition in its favour had done so because they thought it was for a recreation ground, and not for greyhound racing.

Mr. Jackson said that it was their intention to have the matter contested in court on the question of nuisance.

The Rev. Dr. Denham Osborne spoke on behalf of the Presbyterian Presbytery. They came not as stiff-necked puritans, but they thought that the Council should not commit itself to a proposal that would be harmful, particularly to the young.

The Very Rev. Dr. Hanna said that such a form of sport aimed at making money at the cost of the demoralisation of its victims.

The Rev. J. J. Macaulay said that some of the best sportsmen in England had denounced greyhound racing as a travesty of sport.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

The spokesman for the unemployed deputation was Mr. Arthur McGuinness. He said that he represented from 300 to 400 unemployed in the district.

Mr. John Claxton said that this scheme would give employment to 150 men for nine months. They had been let down by the Council members whom they had put in.

Mrs. Johnson protested.

Mr. McGuinness said that they had been waiting eighteen months for the "better thing."

The Chairman (Sir Simon Maddock) drew the Council's attention to the copies of the minutes of the Housing Committee, with correspondence concerning the negotiations for the purchase of the Orchards, Harold's Cross. Mr. Barry had stated that the Council authorised him (the Chairman) to buy the Orchards, whereas if the minutes of the Committee were perused it would be seen that the Council never authorised him to purchase the land and never authorised him to make an offer. The Council on two occasions refused the Housing Committee's recommendations and referred the matter back. On the last occasion he had stated from the chair that if the Council refused to buy he would buy it himself. Mr. Barry, at the special meeting held last week in connection with this matter, had made the statement that he (the Chairman) had been empowered by the Council to purchase the land.

A SCENE.

"There is no foundation or truth in that statement of yours, Mr. Barry, and I now ask you to withdraw," the Chairman concluded.

Mr. Barry—I will not withdraw, because——

Chairman—I will not say what I think of you.

Mr. Barry read from the minutes of the Housing Committee that the recommendation had been made by the Committee to the Council.

The Chairman—I say that the Council sent it back and refused it twice. I again ask you to withdraw, Mr. Barry.

Mr. Barry—I will not withdraw.

Chairman—Mr. Barry, you are an unmitigated cad. (Cries of "Oh!")

Mr. Barry—You to-day have disgraced the chair of the Rathmines Urban District Council.

Chairman—Sit down, Mr. Barry; I will not listen to you.

Mrs. Johnson—Mr. Chairman——

Mr. Barry—We entertained it fully, and you threw your hand in.

Chairman—That concludes the matter, Mr. Barry.

TOWN CLERK'S STATEMENT.

Dr. Kathleen Lynn asked if there were any further records besides the extracts from the minutes of the Council and Housing Committee meetings.

The Chairman referred the matter to the Clerk, Mr. Seacombe Mason.

The Town Clerk said that the matter had come up before the Council on two occasions, and had been referred back to the Housing Committee each time. When the matter had been referred back on the second occasion it had ended there. When those minutes had been read at the next Council meeting the Council made no comment on it.

Mrs. Johnson next stated that it had been reported that the Sisters of Charity had asked that this work be carried out, whereas she understood it was not so.

Mr. Healy proposed the following resolution:—

"That the portion of the minutes regarding the proposed plans for a racing track at Harold's Cross be referred back to the Housing Committee, with a view to securing the opinion of counsel as to the powers of the Council in the matter."

Mr. Healy said that he had read the minutes circulated to each member, but he had to confess that he was in the same position as before as to what actually happened regarding the Orchards. He thought that there was no doubt but that the Chairman was asked to carry out certain negotiations on their behalf.

MORE EXCHANGES.

Mr. W. Caldwell, in seconding Mr. Healy's motion, said that there had been a complete lack of candour all round in this matter, and he wished to see it cleared up.

The Chairman remarked that at the last meeting, when Mr. Caldwell was not present, the matter had been gone into exhaustively. The facts of the matter were that he himself was offered the field by a solicitor. He brought the matter before the Council and said that it was a very good offer. The price at first asked was £1,700, and £1,000 was offered. A little later the offer was increased to £1,400, and the solicitor said that he was prepared to take £1,450. The Council turned the matter down over certain points.

Mr. Caldwell remarked that this was then the Chairman's fault.

Chairman—I will not have any criticism of my conduct from you.

The resolution was passed.

The Clerk pointed out that certain facts regarding the plans must be recognised. They could only hold them up for a month, and of that month only fifteen days now remained in which to record a decision in accordance with the by-laws. It should be remembered that this was the basis of the whole discussion.

The Chairman pointed out that legal proceedings could be taken against them, as had been threatened that morning.

"IRRESPONSIBLE CRITICISM."

Mr. Barry then drew the Council's attention to Mrs. Johnson's statement regarding the report that the Sisters of Charity had approved of the scheme, and had asked that certain men be employed on it.

The Chairman made a statement to show that the Sisters of Charity had never been mentioned. The Council had received a letter from the President of the St. Vincent de Paul Society's Conference at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, which approved of the scheme, and forwarded the names of skilled and unskilled labourers who were on their books, and badly in need of work.

The Chairman further referred to the fact that a memorial, signed by over 800 of the ratepayers of the Rathmines District, begged to inform the Council that they were in favour of the proposal to have a sporting ground for football, general sports and greyhound racing on the site formerly known as Butterly's Orchards.

Mrs. Johnson was raising another objection when the Chairman stopped her, and said: These letters are here, and I hope they will put an end to the irresponsible criticism that has been going on here.

PROPOSED INVESTIGATION.

Mr. Healy then proposed:—

"That a Committee of five members of this Council be appointed to investigate the circumstances connected with the offer of the ground known as the Orchards, Harold's Cross, to the Council, and its subsequent purchase by the Chairman, Sir Simon Maddock.

"The Committee should also investigate the circumstances connected with the use to which it is understood the ground will be put—a greyhound racing track—instead of for the purpose of building dwellings thereon, and to report to a subsequent meeting of the Council."

Mr. Caldwell seconded the resolution.

The Chairman—This is an attack on me—a personal reflection.

Mr. Healy—No.

Chairman—And I do not like the way you couch your resolution. "Investigation" is a very mean word. I object to it.

The resolution was then put to the Council, and carried by nine votes against three.

It was further decided by the Council that a special meeting should be held next Wednesday for the purpose of receiving counsel's opinion regarding the plans, and to take such steps as the Council might decide.

GAS POISONING.

LONDON SEAMAN'S DEATH IN BELFAST.

W. Buttleman, of 27 Bessford road, Canning Town, London, a member of the crew of the Kenbane Head, died in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast, yesterday morning from gas poisoning, and another member of the crew, P. Holt, of 39 Woodland road, Barry, lies in the Royal Victoria Hospital in a critical condition.

The Kenbane Head arrived in Belfast last Tuesday from Buenos Ayres, and as the crew were not being paid off for a few days, a shipmate of the two men, Edward Doak, invited them to spend the night at the house of his brother-in-law, Samuel Cairns, of 27 North Ann street, Belfast. They accepted the invitation, and were given the back bedroom in the house. Yesterday morning Mr. Cairns brought two cups of tea to the bedroom, and found the two men unconscious and the room full of gas. The men were at once taken to hospital, but it was found that Buttleman was beyond aid, and Holt's condition is giving cause for anxiety.

There were two taps on the gas bracket, one of which controlled a gas ring on the floor. It is believed that the men accidentally turned on this tap in the belief that they were turning both of the taps off. Fortunately the doors of the other bedrooms in the house were securely closed.

WIRELESS EXHIBITION IN BELFAST.

OPENED BY THE LORD MAYOR

The Lord Mayor of Belfast (Sir William Turner), in declaring open the annual exhibition of the Ulster Wireless Traders' Association, in the Ulster Hall, Belfast, yesterday, said that it was gratifying to observe that this exhibition had become an annual event, and it was obvious from the exhibits on view that the wireless industry had made great progress, and was becoming more and more important to the community, both in business and pleasure. In glancing round the various stands, he had been impressed with the number of leading manufacturers who had realised that business in Northern Ireland was sufficient to warrant their being represented at the exhibition, and it was also encouraging to notice that instruments of British manufacture predominated, and that the standard of quality was well maintained.

The position of the wireless trade in the North was due in no small measure to the efforts made by the Ulster Wireless Traders' Association to bring before the public the unique and attractive form of entertainment and instruction peculiar to wireless, and he sincerely trusted that their endeavours would meet with the success they deserved.

Mr. Leonard T. Dobbin (Messrs. W. Dobbin and Co., Chairman of the Association) presided.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF IRELAND

A meeting of the Board of Governors and Guardians of the National Gallery of Ireland was held yesterday. There were present:—Chief Justice Kennedy (in the chair), Mr. Dermod O'Brien, P.R.H.A.; the Hon. Frederick Lawless, Miss Sarah Purser, R.H.A.; Mr. Oliver Sheppard, R.H.A.; Mr. H. C. Tisdall, R.H.A.; Senator W. B. Yeats, Litt.D.

The following pictures were purchased:—Portrait of a Lady, by Thomas Wyck; "A Trade Procession in Dublin, August, 1875," by Charles Russell, R.H.A.

The following gifts were received:—"The Last of the Fair," by Norman Garstin, R.B.A. (presented by Mrs. Norman Garstin); Drawings of the Parnell Commission made for *The Graphic* in 1889, by Sydney P. Hall (presented by Mr. H. R. Hall).

What this country wants is more knowledge, more thought, more intellectual interests.—Sir F. Kenyon, Director of the British Museum.

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A DALKEY ROAD GRANT.

Dalkey Urban Council last night accepted the tender of the South of Ireland Asphalt Company (the lowest) for the tar macadamising of portion of the Sorrento road, about 3,000 square yards in extent, at 3s. 8d. a yard, or a lump sum of £535.

The Chairman explained that the Government grant amounted to £725, and the Dalkey Council had put this up to £1,000, so as to keep the cost to the Council within the current year's estimates.

A condition of the Government grant was that ex-National Army men should be given preference, as far as was possible, the wages to be 50s. a week.

ENGLISHMAN'S DEATH IN BELFAST.

Herbert Fullerton, an Englishman, who resided at Cyprus street, Belfast, was found in an unconscious condition early yesterday morning. He was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, where he died a few hours after admission. Deceased man, it is stated, was an ex-Captain in the Royal Army Service Corps, and served in the Great War.

Group of helpers at the Sale of Work held in the Belgrave Parochial Hall, Rathmines, yesterday, in aid of the Mission to the Deaf and Dumb.

Group taken at the opening of the Protestant Recreation Hall at Clones. Mrs. Armstrong, who gave the site, is seen with the Bishop of Clogher and Mr. M. Knight at the top of the steps.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

SUN YAT-SEN'S GOOD FORM.

TALUP DISAPPOINTS.

WELSH ST. LEGER TO-DAY.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

CHEPSTOW, Wednesday Night.

Things looked up here this afternoon, bright morning and a clear fixture under the Rules of Racing—for the only opposition was the jumping at Fontwell Park—greatly increasing the size of the crowd. It was actually the best attendance since the opening meeting last year, and there were more runners than usual. Lord Glanely, a shareholder and a strong supporter of the meeting, hoped to win the Glanely Handicap with Sunderland, who, although well handicapped, was not quite so good a favourite as the pot-valiant Vie. The hill proved fatal to the chance of Sunderland, and he was beaten when he had reached the pinnacle. Vie had made all the running until they were a quarter of a mile from home, and then Sun Yat-Sen closed with her and headed her. Fathaliah, under strong pressure, attempted to make a race with him, but Mrs. Whitburn's colt won very comfortably by a length and a half.

I have referred before to the improvement which this son of Santoi has shown since he was bred at Ballykisteen, has shown since he was broken and tubed, and he is a useful colt just now. He was carrying 8st. 10lb. here, and a win over giving 21lb. to the second and 11lb. to Vie, a winner of her last two races, who finished three lengths behind the second.

Mr. Cottrill's stable was not so successful with Cornbin, the Irish-bred son of Corn Kale, who started an even-money chance for the Castleford Plate. Irenia led him from the gate, and he never could make up much ground. Irenia continued in front, but was hotly pressed at the finish by Proper Pride, Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen's daughter of Orpheus, however, hung on to win by a head.

The Irish-bred Bright Land, who was beaten out of a place in Valley Underwing's race at Newbury, was a confident winner of the Clearwell Selling Plate by a length from Pomander, and found a new owner afterwards in Mr. H. C. Miller, who went to 700 guineas before he was knocked down to him.

BEARY WINS ON GUADIANA.

Lord Queenborough, who takes a great interest in Chepstow, and is a Steward of the meeting, was present to see his filly, Guadiana, win the Severn T.Y.O. Stakes. Odds were laid on her, and Beary could have taken her into the front at any time. When he did let her have her head she came out and won easily from the Leghon Tor colt. She is a very smart filly, and her failure at Brighton was probably due to the fact that she does not want to come down hill. The Two-Year-Old Selling Race was won by that enthusiastic owner-trainer, Lieutenant-Colonel Robin Johnson, whose Sarcastic won an exciting race from Miss Bonzo by a short head. The form in the race was moderate.

Odds layers are having a bad time at these days. Wandering Maid let them down at Nottingham, when 5 to 1 was betted on her, and Talup also disappointed in the last race here. He was toiling for a long way in the first essay, and never could get near the leaders, finally being well beaten by Prince Tan and Keni Amaranth.

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FORM HORSES.

CHEPSTOW.

2.0—Tuborg.
2.30—Sue Wayne.
3.0—Sir Lis.
3.30—Sledmere.
4.0—Master Dabber.
4.30—Gay Lothario (nap).

Galtee.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's Best—Tuborg. Double—Tuborg and Anthorne.

Daily Express:—Safety Bet—Tuborg (win). Double—Tuborg and Bythorne.

Daily Mirror:—Double — Candescent filly (nap) and Sledmere.

Daily Sketch:—Double—Tuborg (nap) and Master Dabber.

ACCEPTANCES.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

SUFFOLK NURSERY HANDICAP, 4, Plate of 1,000 sovs. 7 furlongs.

(Weights raised 5lbs.)

	st. lb.		st. lb.
Riverside	9 0	Thirlmere	7 7
Stadacona	8 13	Fainise	7 9
Nona	8 12	Abbey	7 8
Alna Regina	8 11	Sanctissima	7 8
Consider	8 6	Parting Shot	7 6
Poblenzo	8 4	Cardamom	7 6
The Wheedler	8 3	Mr. Mack's	7 5
Meilin	8 3	Josephus	7 5
Reminder	8 1	Treasure Island	7 4
Quip	8 1	Silvera Isle	7 4
Tetrill	8 0	Ide	7 3
Radio	8 0	Ide Hour	7 3
Wattle-coat	8 0	Quicklime	6 13
Silver Lute	8 0	Quicktime	6 13
Grandmaster	7 13		

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14.

EXNING WELTER HANDICAP STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 3000 sovs. added. 7 furlongs.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Nothing Venture	4 9 10	Marrian	4 8 6
Bella Minna	4 9 10	Solar Imperial	4 8 6
Nice Prospect	4 9 9	Fire Engine	4 8 6
Flondorium	4 9 7	Anahid	3 8 5
	Stone 4 9	Sir Ivor	3 8 5
Cragford	5 9 5	Compiler	3 8 5
Canhelo	4 9 3	Marine Parade	4 7 13
Buck Away	4 8 9	Tagelia	3 7 13
Fourth Hand	3 8 7	Grey Hill	3 7 11
Artful	4 8 6	Dignity's Boy	3 7 11
Tourcen	3 8 6	White Maize	3 7 9
Portland	4 8 6	Quickelio	3 7 7
Dark Warrior	3 8 5	Zahrat	4 7 7
Dodder	4 8 5	Melanesia	3 7 7

HEATH PLATE (HANDICAP).

Masked Marvel, Kitty III., Lightsteep, Helter Skelter, Sun Yat-Sen, Arcade, Hms. the Slipper, Warning Cry, Pentire, Capture Him, Starlight, Maudlin, Invernark, Lancaster, Bachelor's Vow, Orbilis, Granpan, Pasha and Shoestring.

ASSOCIATION.

IRISH LEAGUE XI. TO PLAY THE SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

The Irish League selectors chose the following team last evening to play the Scottish League at Belfast on Wednesday, October 26th:—Goalkeeper—Heirne (Ards); Moorehead (Linfield) (capt.). Backs—Ferguson (Celtic), Wilson (Portadown). Half-backs—Roger (Linfield), Gowdy (Ards), McGivern (Cliftonville), and Patton (Celtic). Forwards—Glenavon), Mahood (Celtic), Reserve—Johnston (Portadown).

GOLD CUP—SEMI-FINAL. DEFEAT OF LARNE.

For the third time, Ards and Larne met to-day in the second round of the Gold Cup, Ards winning by 4 goals to 2.

Ards thus qualify for the final against Linfield.

	Goals.		Goals.
The Army	0	Middlesbrough	0
	3		1

LISTOWEL.

RECORD ATTENDANCE.

A SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

The Listowel meeting ended, as it began, under most genial conditions, the sun again shining on all days, and thousands of country people journeying from town all the morning. It was generally voted that the crowd was a record one, which for Listowel, means a considerable number, as those who have been in the habit of going to meetings there for years just know. The railway company was also good to carry the people in from all the adjoining towns, and the sight on the racecourse itself was indeed a pleasing one, when one considers how poorly the sport has been patronised in some other parts of the country. It was again a very enjoyable afternoon's racing, with some further good finishes to lend excitement to the proceedings.

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OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

Cesarewitch Stakes—Ballycrahin, at 4.40 p.m. Tuesday.

Cambridgeshire Stakes (Houghton Meeting)—Brighter Linefield, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Houghton Stakes (Houghton Meeting)—Rosehearty and Trigon.

KEMPTON PARK MEETING.

Waterloo Selling Plate—Border Knight.

Imperial Produce Stakes—Gallantry, Saroanards, Speyside, Spirit of the Wind, Harmichael colt, Causasian.

Half-Moon Selling Plate—Border Knight, Black Prince Plate—Arctic Star and St. Sylvestre.

Brentford Selling Handicap—Mural Arch, Thames Stakes—St. Sylvestre and Adel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Nepton Nursery, Hazlock, Hazlock Park—Mississippi, King's Courier II.

Haydock Park engagements—Ca y est, Darcanelli, Barton's Fancy.

All engagements this year—Dartmoor, Victoire colt—3 pennies.

All engagements—Cloud Nymph, Mafeots, Dark Peril II.

Welsh St. Leger, Chesterton—Trustful.

Golden Hill Selling Handicap, Chesterton—Perhaps.

Folkestone Hastle, Fontwell Park—Scalded Cat.

All published handicaps—Grey Phillis.

Folkestone's Slight Cough.

Mr. Sol Joel's Cambridgeshire candidate, Folkestone, was not at exercise with Walter Earl's first lot yesterday morning. He has had a slight dry cough, but it has had little effect upon him, and he is looking fresh and well.

CHEPSTOW TO-DAY:

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Llangibby Plate—Tuborg.*
Golden Mill Selling—Tanga.
Rogiet Morgan Nursery—Master Dabber.
Mcmouth Plate—Still Free.

DOUBLE—Tuborg and Master Dabber.

2.0—LLANGIBBY MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. 1 m. 2 f. Age st. lb.

SONG OF SUMMER (H.M. Maharaja of Rajpipla)	Mr. F. Darling	5 7
DOONBY (Mr. C. C. Stevens)	F. Darling	5 0
SKIPPER'S SLIP (Lord Derby)	Mr. Hartigan	5 0
VERTE LUMIE, 3 (Mrs. J. Bannerman)	Eastwood	5 0
TUBORG (Mr. H. H. Bowcock)	Gwilt	5 10
CORNBIN (Mr. H. C. Cottrill)	Cottrill	5 10
ANTEPON (Mr. H. L. Cottrill)	Cottrill	5 10
CAMPANILE (Mr. Stan Castle-Owen)	G. Bell	5 10
IDLE HOUR (Lady Cunliffe-Owen)	Beatty	5 10
CRUCCES (Mrs. R. H. Peat)	Gilbert	5 10
CORNDALE NYM (Lord Queenborough)	Frank Butters	5 10
AFTERDORE (Lord Glanely)	Rogers	5 10
FAITHFUL GARRY (Mr. C. W. Garton)	J. Jarvis	5 10
ST. CATRINE C. by Hainault (Mr. Thornton-Smith)	Mr. Thornton	5 10
CLEAR THE WAY (Sir John Grey)	Mr. Harrington	5 10
O'DONNELL (Mrs. Hartigan)	M. Harrington	5 10
JUANITA C. by Sunlight (Mr. C. Stevens)	Mr. Harris	5 10
CHARLESHILLE C. by Bachelor (Mr. R. Jones)	R. Jarvis	5 10
PALACE (H.H. Aga Khan)	R. Jarvis	5 10
VOIGORE (Lt. Lonsdale)	F. Darling	5 10
PHILOSOPHIC (Mr. Maharajah Jam Saheb of Navanagar)	Mr. Hartigan	5 10
KAXFENCE (Sir Victor Sassoon)	Crawford	5 10
THE LAWYER (Sir Victor Sassoon)	Crawford	5 10
BELATED KNIGHT (Lt. C. F. Stumbles)	Mr. Bennett	5 7
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. F. W. Stern)	Private	5 10
SASTRIDGE (Mr. Ernest Wild)	Mr. Hartigan	5 7
HONEYMEET (Lt. Wodehouse)	F. Darling	5 10
MOONLIGHT (Mr. Wootton)	F. Darling	5 10
PICTURE (Lord Astor)	A. Taylor	5 10
SOUTH WALES G. by Grand Parade (Lt. Darby)	Frank Butters	5 7
RECORD (Lt. Crossley)	Rimell	5 7
RECORD (Mr. C. Cribbett)	Clancy	5 7
MILDRED MINT (Mr. W. Polyzoides (Jr.))	Pope	5 7
REDSHILLIGH (Lt. Derby)	Frank Butters	5 7
FAIR ARRENDONIAN (Lt. Devey)	F. Darling	5 7
ALADDIN'S LAMP (Lt. Devey)	F. Darling	5 7
CANTATRICE (M. Edouard Esmond)	J. Jarvis	5 7
BOW BELLS (M. Edward Esmond)	J. Jarvis	5 7
ROSE WILLIAM (Mr. D. G. Hall)	Clancy	5 7
HOLLY (Mr. M. A. Harrison)	Mr. Harrison	5 7
SARA II. F. by Tetrameter (Sir Hugh Hirst)	Mr. Hirst	5 7
AULD LANG SYNE (Wilfrid's g. (3) (Mr. W. J. Osborne)	Morris	5 7
WILLINDA G. by Spearcort (Mr. C. F. Darling)	Darling	5 7
KITTEN (Mr. Peshall Keene)	Fred Butters	5 7
RAFFALS F. by Lord Annandale (Miss Ward)	Ward	5 7

3.30—THE STAND PLATE of 50 sovs. for maiden horses, 5 yrs. and upwards. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

	Age st. lb.	
Mr. F. O'Brien's g. COURT PICTURE, 5, 12-0	Mr. F. O'Brien	1
Mr. R. Nunan's HUNKAPAH, 5, 12-0	Canty	2
Mr. J. Foley's BRACKEN, 6, 12-0	Mr. Hayes	3
Mr. C. W. Williams's Charlie's Best, 5, 10-3		0
Mr. G. Manning's Ray of Light, 5, 10-3		0
Mr. J. Joseph Fraser's Gleamore, 4, 9-7 (off)		0

(Winner trained by Mr. C. Collins.)

Betting—5 to 4 COURT PICTURE, 5 to 2 Hunkapah, 5 to 1 Ray of Light, 10 to 1 Intrafit, 20 to 1 Bracken.

Court Picture (Mr. F. O'Brien) made all the pace in Charlie's Best (Dopmaker) and Ray of Light (Mr. Curry) were prominently placed in the early stages, but Bracken and Hunkapah were always in touch with the leaders, and Court Picture and Hunkapah were still together at the last fence, but the former was the first to land over the last, and won by a neck; 5-bd third; Trench was edited up.

3.0—TRADESMEN'S PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight for age race. 2 m.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. f. GOLDEN STRAND, by Sir Kootenay—Golden Sky, 5, 8-9 (3)	Mr. F. P. O'Brien	2
Mr. F. J. Cottell's Saint Senan, 5, 10-0	J. H. Harty	0
Mr. P. Keohane's Bullevinus Star, 5, 9-0 (dr.)	Moulihan	0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—4 to 6 agst. Brighter Linefield, 2 to 1 GOLDEN STRAND, 4 to 1 What a Hope, 10 to 1 any other.

What a Hope came on from Saint Senan, Brighter Linefield and Golden Strand, and Golden Strand last, for half a mile, when Brighter Linefield took the lead with What a Hope next, and Golden Strand third. Brighter Linefield won by three lengths; twenty lengths separated second and third; Saint Senan was fourth.

What a Hope was sold for 150 guineas.

3.30—STEWARDS' PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

Miss M. Frost's b. h. LIKWORNEY, by Pinspector—Pantot, 5, 11-9	Costello	1
Mr. R. H. Gardner's GEORGINATOWN, 6, 12-5	Hayes	2
Mr. J. C. Ryan's Tender Prospects, 5, 10-0	Keogh	0
Capt. W. Molony's Hinode, 5, 10-0 (car. 11-0)	Mr. T. B. Cullinan	0

(Winner trained by Mr. J. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 on LIKWORNEY, 3 to 1 agst. Georginatown, 4 to 1 Hinode, 20 to 1 Tender Prospects.

Tender Prospects fell after half a mile, and Liz worney settled down in front of Hinode and Georginatown, a mile from home Liwourney, retaining the lead, won by four lengths.

4.0—KILLARNEY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A welter handicap flat race. 2 m.

Mr. J. Joseph Fraser's WILD THISTLE, by Thistleton—Patria, 6, 10-0	H. Barry	1
Mr. G. Manning's RAY OF LIGHT, 5, 10-4	Moulihan	2
Mr. J. Foley's SCARLETT PIMPERNEL, 5, 10-4	Mr. Hayes	3
Mr. J. Walsh's Gilda, 5, 10-0	Gleeson	0
Mrs. J. Lombard's Brackburn, 4, 10-0	Mr. Hayes	0
Mrs. P. Sheehan's The Bluss, 6, 10-3	Mr. Hayes	0
Miss M. Frost's Ballycarron Lass, 6, 10-6	Mr. Mooney	0
Mr. J. J. Foley's The Rud, 6, 10-6	Mr. Hayes	0

(Winner trained by Owner).

Betting—3 to 4 agst. WILD THISTLE, 7 to 2 Scarlet Pimpernel, 6 to 1 each Bufloon and The Rudd, 100 to 8 any or any other.

Wild Thistle led from Scarlet Pimpernel, Ballycarron Lass, Ray and Bufloon, with The Bluss last, finally being challenged by Ray, but in the end Wild Thistle won by three lengths. The Rud was fourth, and Bufloon fifth.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Cesarewitch Scratching.

Ballycrahin was struck out of the Cesarewitch Stakes at 4.40 p.m. on Tuesday.

Brighter London Scratched.

Brighter London was struck out of the Cambridgeshire Stakes at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Prince Tan's Victory.

By winning the St. Andrew's Plate at Chepstow yesterday, Prince Tan is not qualified to run in the Thames Stakes at Kempton Park to-morrow.

Fairway Retired for the Season.

Mr. Frank Bottom states that forfeit has been declared for Fairway for the Middle Park Stakes to be decided at Newmarket next week, and that Lord Derby's colt will not be seen on a racecourse again this season.

Important Cesarewitch Gallops.

At Manton yesterday morning Alec Taylor stripped Lightning Artist and Rakushin, and sent them a rousing gallop of two miles and a quarter, Roberto leading them the last seven furlongs. Brennan rode the Cesarewitch favourite, who went extremely well throughout, but his path to victory was made easy by Rakushin, who, at Ingle's request, sent them a good gallop over the Cesarewitch distance.

Cap-a-Pie Goes Well.

The Stanley House Cesarewitch candidate, Cap-a-Pie, with Connerton up, was stripped at Newmarket yesterday morning and ran a rousing gallop of a mile and a half with Helter Skelter.

Try Try Again Quite Fit.

Mr. Harvey Leader, the trainer of Try Try Again, says that the mare is all right, and is a certain starter for the Cesarewitch. She was amiss for a while, and had to be stopped in her work, but is now very fit, and it is not likely that the easy will have time to lay heavy. Her former also states that Kenneth Robertson will ride her in the Cesarewitch, and not J. Caldwell, as had been published previously. At Newmarket yesterday morning, looking hard and well, the mare travelled in grand style with Clorigo in a good pace gallop over a mile and three-quarters.

A Winning Ride

J. Read rode Traticelli, the winner of the Bentinck Maiden Plate, at Nottingham on Tuesday.

Fog at the White City.

Owing to fog there was no greyhound racing at the White City last night.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN v. CARPENTER.

The billiards in yesterday afternoon's session of the 8,000 match between Newman and Carpenter at Whittlesey, Peterborough, was of a quiet nature, the champion had breaks of 173, 126, and 50; and Carpenter 136, 69, and 74. Interval scores:—Carpenter, 1,000; 4,501; Newman, 3,194.

Newman scored at a fast rate in the evening, and finished the session only 627 points behind. He had breaks of 109, 106, and 316 (unfinished), his easiest Carpenter's 103 and 137. Closing scores:—Carpenter (set, 2,000), 4,838; Newman (in play) 4,001.

CHEPSTOW MEETING.

GUADIANA'S EASY WIN.

2.0—CASTLEFORD HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 7 f.

Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's b. f. IRENIA, by Orpheus—Sandy Bank, 3, 9-13	L. Brown	1	
Mr. W. E. Lysaght's PROPER PRIDE	F. Lane	2	
Mr. S. McGregor's OPEN PROSPECT, 5, 9-13	Dobell	3	

Also ran—Charnusi (H. Leach), Rath Duth (D. Cheshire), Protocol (J. Jarrett), Admire (L. Read), Orvieto (L. Lane), Regnard (T. Barber). Off 3.17. (Winner trained by O. Bell.)

Betting—Evens Cochise, 3 to 1 each agst. IRENIA and Proper Pride, 5 to 1 Open Prospect, 6 to 1 each Charnusi and Rath Duth, 10 to 1 Admire, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; two lengths. Cornbin was fourth and Rath Duth last.

Racing put back fifteen minutes owing to late arrival of trains.

2.30—GLEARWELL SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. H. Morris's b. g. BRIGHT LAND, by Orvieto—Land Lady, 4, 8-7	F. Lane	1	
Mr. S. Wootton's POMANDER, 5, 9-7 (C. Smirke		2	
Mrs. J. C. Lewis's CREOLIAN, 5, 9-7	J. Leach	3	

Also ran—Holmes Image (G. Duffy), Chemosa (G. Richards), Allen (H. Greave), Atlantes (F. Fox), Guitar (N. Berry). Off 2.36. (Winner trained by Wilbert).

Betting—Evens Climber, 2 to 1 agst. Æsop, 6 to 1 NAVANA, 10 to 1 any other.

Navana finished about 20m. the others fell.

3.30—GLANELY HANDICAP, a plate of 350 sovs. 1 m.

Mrs. S. Whitburn's br. m. SUN YAT-SEN, by Santoi—Neeta, 4, 9-10	Mr. F. Darling	1	
Lord Queenborough's FATHALIAH, 3, 7-3	Leach	2	

Mr. A. H. Hankmond's VIE, 4, 7-13 ..... F. Nyett 3

...DOONVARNA.

...—For seven puppies. Winner, ...; second, £5 10/—. ...Prospect Pets beat Mr. Harding's ...loving Lass, a bye; Mr. O'Con... ...ab. ...Knapsack beat Mr. Lynch's ...ingfield a bye. ...-Moving Lass beat Prospect Pets; ...Sheffield ... ...—Mr. Rourke's Roving Lass ...—So Free) beat Mr. Kenory's ...Countryman—Darkest). ...

...For 16 puppies. Winner, £17; ...20 two dogs, £2 10/—. ...eeper, a bye; Mr. Morgan's Fahy... ...ofi Hat beat Mr. Harding's ...d Post beat Mr. Liddy's Honest ...On the Line beat Mr. Falvey's ...idden Joy beat Mr. O'Connor's ...oreador beat Mr. O'Loughlin's ...Blackweir Sweeper beat Miss ...Prince. ...Another Laddie beat Mr. Kelly's ...Keeper beat Soft Hat; Bad Post ...; Toreador beat Hidden Joy; ...beat Another Laddie. ...Keeper beat Bad Post; Toreador ...eeper. ...—Mr. Kenory's Keeper (Careful ...) beat Mr. Martin's Toreador ...e Fire).

STAKE—For nine all-ages. ...ond, £2; one dog, £5 10/—. ...Laurel Boy beat Mr. Morrisse's ...

Blackweir beat Mr. Lynch's ...risco beat Mr. O'Farrell's Red... ...ince of Burren beat Mr. Blake's ...orrillon a bye. ...Laurel Boy beat Blackweir; Mal... ...; Prince of Burren a bye. ...ince of Burren beat Laurel Boy; ...—Mr. Kelly's Malfresco (Three ...drawn; Dr. Pearson's Prince of ...rince—Princess Valera) declared ...

KE—For 16 all-ages. Winner, ...nd, £8; two dogs, £2. ...Gani's Mill beat Dr. Pearson's ...

...llow beat Mr. Dennehy's Win... ...ldown beat Mr. Taylor's Tact... ...ng Show beat Mr. Clune's Con... ...Gesticulate beat Mr. Ryan's ...Irelew Dick beat Mr. Moore's ...Derragh Boy beat Mr. Enright's ...nning Fizz beat Mr. Moloney's ...Gaul's Mill a bye. Swallow ...beat Knockdown; Gesticulate ...d. Forming Fizz beat Derragh ...aul's Mill beat Flying Shoe; ...ming Fizz. ...—Mr. L. Lynch's Gaul's Mill ...Creed, Slaney beat Mr. Hickey's ...Dick—Gambling Innocence).

WIMMING.

CK'S CATHEDRAL HOOL GALA.

...of the St. Patrick's Cathedral ...lwagh Ballas last night, ...attendance, who enjoyed a fine ...ch the Leinster Branch I.A.S.A. ...ds and finals. the latter being ...nolboy Championship and the ...hools' Water Polo Cup between ...S and 1926. Belvedere College ...ol respectively. ...iding R. N. Case (Mountjoy), ...trophy presented by the Rev. ...an old Leinster schoolboy cham... ...the former event. Case went ...ne heavily by about 10 yards ...Powell, of Belvedere College, ...e junior championship of the ...J. King, and the senior cham... ...ther, G. King, both promising ...

...(holders) were clearly the ...water polo match, in which the ...R. N. Case and B. Anderson ...y. Sheridan was the outstand... ...edere.

...(22 yards).—First Heat—F. ...e, 2; H. White, 3. Four com... ...Second Heat—E. Fleet, 1; ...Three competed. Time—26 ...1; White, 2; Peters, 3. Time ...

...ship (44 yards)—J. King, 1; ...olbert, 3. Six competed. Won ...e yards. Time—59 secs. ...ship (66 yards).—G. King, 1; ...B. Whelan, 3. Six competed. ...d feet. Time—59 secs. ...e.—M. Woodworth, 1; W. ...band, 3. Nine competed. ...(44 yards).—First Heat—M. ...I. Dixon (4), 2; W. Patterson ...peted. Time—46 secs. Second ...J. King (scr.), 1; R. Three ...9 secs. Final—Jones, 1; King, ...by two yards; a touch.

...(66 yards).—First Heat—R. ...Dalton (6), 2; E. J. Warbrook ...peted. Won by three yards; ...61 secs. Second Heat—W. T. ...Knaggs (2), 2; D. Woodworth ...eted. Won by two yards; three ...cs. Final—Whelan, 1; Dalton, ...Won by two yards; a touch.

...r Schoolboy Championship of ...Dublin (Mountjoy School) ....ilvedere College) ....Mountjoy School) ....ilvedere College) ....Mountjoy School) .....

KINGSTOWN GOLF CLUB.

Sunrise mixed foursomes, Saturday, next. Result—draw for partners arrange own foursomes. ...A. R. Mallett and Mrs. Warnock; H. G. Flood and Miss Scarlett; Dr. M. Good and Mrs. Potterton; H. Harding and Miss Noland; J. J. Tristan and Mrs. Mallet; A. E. Thomason and Mrs. Hayes; G. M. Penn and Mrs. Alexander; A. D. Pentycross and Miss Mabel Wragg; lady ex-champion of the Ladies' Section, but only 2 and 1. ...Royal Mid-Surrey and Stoke Poges made easy progress to the fifth round. Cyril Tolley and E. F. Storey, representing Stoke Poges, had matters all their own way against Knole Park in the morning, and against Worplesdon in the afternoon, while the Royal Mid-Surrey pair, Major C. O. Hegbet and Douglas Grant, beat Porter's Park and Sonning.

Hillingdon, whose lesser known players, Wing-Commander Hewitt and Flying-Officer Gough, ruckily fought their way through, will engage the Royal Mid-Surrey pair to-morrow.

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WE have been instructed by E. Lynch, Esq., TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our SALE-ROOMS, 4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN, on THURSDAY, 27th OCTOBER, 1927, at 1.30 p.m., all the Interest and Goodwill in his Excellent Farm, situated as above, and containing 117a. 0r. 11p., or thereabouts, held in fee-simple, subject to the low annuity of £83 16s. 4d. to I.L.C. P.L.V., £157. There is a neat Residence containing 3 apartments on the property, and the Out-offices comprise Byre to accommodate 25 cattle, large potato store, extensive granary, 2 loose boxes, 6 stalls, poultry, coach, coal and hay houses, implement shed, etc. There is also a Workman's Cottage on the lands.

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WE have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at CARNE HOUSE, on FRIDAY, the 14th OCTOBER, 1927, at 2 o'clock precisely, the following properties in one or more lots:—

LOT 1.—PARTS of the lands of Carne, containing 47½ acres, Statute measure, with the Residence, Out-Offices, and Farm Buildings thereon, held as a statutory tenancy at the yearly judicial rent of £39, and agreed to be purchased under the provisions of the Northern Ireland Land Act, 1925.

The dwellinghouse, which is two storeys high and slated, is very substantially built and fitted with all modern conveniences. It is nicely set back from the county road, with neat flower garden, ornamental trees and shrubs in front, and contains large hall, 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, lavatory, and ample servants' appointments, all in excellent order.

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LOT 2.—PARTS of the lands of Carne, on the opposite side of the county road from Lot 1, containing 47 acres, Statute measure, held in like manner as Lot 1, at the yearly judicial rent of £35 15/-.

Lots 1 and 2 are subject to a yearly tithe rent charge of £1 9/10 and small Lough Neagh drainage rate about 8/- yearly.

LOT 3.—PARTS of the lands of Carne adjacent to Lots 1 and 2, containing 24 acres, Statute measure, held in like manner as Lots 1 and 2, at the yearly judicial rent of £17 10/-.

LOT 4.—PARTS of the lands of Ballynery, containing 132 acres, Statute measure, held in fee-simple under the Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts, subject to the terminable annuity payable by half-yearly instalments of £30 19/10 (final period).

There is an excellent, well-built, two-storey and slated dwellinghouse on this lot, let with small garden, and producing £15 12/- yearly.

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LOT 5.—PARTS of the lands of Ballynacor, containing 6 acres, Statute measure, held in fee-simple under the Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts, subject to a terminable annuity of 17/3 half-yearly. This lot is subject to a small Lough Neagh drainage rate.

The lands forming the several lots, which practically adjoin one another, have been worked as one farm for dairy, cattle raising and general farming. They are all well fenced, drained, and watered, laid out in suitably proportioned fields, and, being intersected by the leading county road from Portadown to Banntoot, many of the fields are entered therefrom. Being situate about 2 miles from Portadown town boundary, the lands possess advantages for dairy and marketing purposes not attaching to farms more remotely situated.

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